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The Ancient Castle at Framlingham, England.

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# DANFORTH GENEALOGY.

## NICHOLAS DANFORTH,

OF FRAMLINGHAM, ENGLAND, AND CAMBRIDGE, N. E.

(1589—1638)

AND

## WILLIAM DANFORTH,

OF NEWBURY, MASS.

(1640—1721)

## AND THEIR DESCENDANTS.

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# INTRODUCTION.

It has been well said that the history of a nation is but the aggregate of the biographies of its peoples; and since these are so interwoven and so dependent each on the others, it is evident that no single biography or set of biographies can be complete without some understanding of the events occurring in society and in the world at large during the lifetime of the subjects. A brief review, therefore, of the condition of affairs in England will be a needful preliminary to an account of the coming thence of our immigrant ancestor.

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Two hundred and sixty-eight years ago, to wit, in 1634, in ship Griffin, came from London to Boston and Cambridge a company of emigrants who had left their homes in England to seek new homes in a foreign land,—a land strange and wild, inhabited by fierce and formidable animals, and by men even fiercer and more formidable.

In that company we believe came Nicholas Danforth, then 48 years old, with his young family of six children, three daughters and three sons. His wife had died five years before, leaving seven children, of which the eldest, Elizabeth, was but 11 years old, the youngest, Jonathan, an infant of a year.

One daughter had died in their English home, and now they had left that home, with its comforts and its life-long associations; had left the neighbors and friends of their early days; had left fertile fields and all the attractions of a rural home in a beautiful part of that very beautiful land,—near to the sea and not far from the metropolis,—the birthplace and the last resting-place of their ancestors. They were now voluntary exiles in a land of which little was known to them, and the most of what was known was of a nature to repel rather than to attract any but the most courageous and resolute.

What had led them, what was inducing others like them, to forego the comforts of established homes for the discomforts and risks that were obviously before them? To answer this question, a brief glance at the history of the times may be helpful.

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The revival of art and literature—the awakening from the stupor of the Dark Ages—had been in progress for a century, when late in the 14th century (1383), Wycliffe, a priest of the Romish church, an ardent opposor of the corruptions that prevailed in that church, translated the Bible into the English language. Hitherto, being only in Latin and Greek versions, it had been a sealed book to the people, in fact it had been exclusively in the keeping of the clergy. Copies of the English version were now multiplied in manuscript, and Wycliffe's doctrines of opposition to the arbitrary dominion of the pope were spread abroad by his disciples.

Here *began* the attempt for the exercise of private judgment in religion—a right to be asserted and denied—an exercise to be striven for with varying success during all later ages; and even yet attained and enjoyed by a small part only of the so-called Christian world. But the multiplying of copies was very slow, until, toward the close of the 15th century (1471), Caxton, a London merchant, introduced into England the art of printing with movable type, which 20 years before had been invented in Germany. By this the work of disseminating copies of scripture was greatly promoted, and early in the 16th century (1524), an improved translation by Tyndale superseded that of Wycliffe.

Three great events in the world's history were nearly contemporaneous: namely, the invention of printing with movable type, by Guttenberg (about 1450), and its introduction into England 20 years later; next, the discovery of America, by Columbus (1492), and the exploration of the shores of North America, by the Cabots, father and son, six years later; and thirdly, the Protestant Reformation, precipitated by Luther, in 1517. But as "there were many reformers before the Reformation," so these three great measures of progress may fairly be compassed in the short space of half a century. Dr. Palfrey well says that national revolutions, whether political or religious, are never sudden. If they appear sudden, it is because the agencies that have been preparing them have been at work beneath the surface, where, indeed, they are most efficient.

The impulse to religious thought which appeared in the 16th century had lain in embryo in the English heart ever since Wycliffe's time. Henry VIII had gained the special favor of the pope in the early part of his reign, when he wrote a book denouncing Luther and his work, and the pope conferred on him the title of "Defender of the Faith;" but afterward, a quarrel arose between them when the holy father opposed the king's matrimonial schemes; and the spirit of liberty had so far permeated the land that Parliament was quite ready to uphold the king, and by enactment disclaimed allegiance to Rome, and declared the *king* to be the *head of the church.*

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Although some re-action occurred late in Henry's reign, under his successor (Edward VI), liberal views prevailed; prisoners for heresy were set free; preaching, which had been suppressed, was revived; the Bible, in English, was placed in every church; the Book of Common Prayer was compiled, and the articles of faith of the church of England were first drawn up. By this king, too, general education was greatly promoted by the establishment of free schools in many places.

Unhappily to this succeeded the baleful reign of Queen Mary, who renewed allegiance to Rome; persecuted heretics,—burning many at the stake,—while her bigoted and cruel husband, Philip II, of Spain, was doing the like in Holland, torturing and putting to cruel death thousands of Protestants.

But Mary's reign was short, and when her sister Elizabeth came to the throne, England was thoroughly divided in its religion. Many noble families adhered to the church of Rome, but a majority favored the church of England as organized by Edward. The creed, formulated by Edward, was revised and reduced to the 39 articles which still are retained; the English service book was reinstated, and an act was passed requiring all clergymen to use that, and that only, while another act imposed a heavy fine on all who failed to attend the services of the church on Sundays and holidays.

Elizabeth herself seems to have had no deep-abiding conviction in these matters. Her tendency was toward Protestantism, but a crucifix with lighted candles before it was kept suspended in her private chapel, and she prayed to the virgin mother of Christ as fervently as her sister Mary had ever done. Thus, really, she represented the nation—halting between two forms of faith.

There now arose in the English church a large and influential class of thoughtful people who demanded that the church be purified from Romish forms and doctrines. But the principle was still maintained that church and state were inseparable; and whoever refused to sustain the established form of religion was deemed a rebel against the government. A special court was established to try such rebels. Under its jurisdiction many Roman Catholics were tortured and put to death, and many Puritans were imprisoned, and some even put to death, for so-called seditious publications.

Following Elizabeth, came James, who had been king of Scotland. In the kingdom thus united were three realms, professing three several religions. Presbyterianism prevailed in Scotland, Romanism in Ireland, Episcopacy in England.

The new king, feeble in body, mentally weak, a coward, but with a certain shrewdness, a smattering of learning, and unbounded conceit, was an unreasoning bigot. One of his earliest acts was a statute punishing witchcraft with death, and under that law many a

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wretched woman went to the scaffold, whose only crime was that she was old, ugly and friendless.

James hated the Puritans. When a deputation of ten of these—men selected for their high position and character—waited upon him with a petition for some measures of reform, he put them in prison; and he affirmed of that people "I will make them conform, or I will harry them out of the land." He violated the privileges of the House of Commons, in which were many Puritans, rejecting many who were legally elected; and when the House protested, the king seized the official journal and with his own hands tore out the record.

He wanted money and was obliged to apply to Parliament to supply his wants; but Parliament would grant nothing until certain specified evils were reformed. He created a new title of rank, that of baronet, which he granted to any who would pay a high price. As a last resource, he compelled all persons who had an income of forty pounds or more derived from landed property to accept knighthood (thus incurring feudal obligations and payments) or purchase exemption by a heavy fine. James's arrogance and extortion seemed limitless, and when Archbishop Abbott showed disapproval of the tyranny, he was suspended from his office, and Laud, bishop of Bath and Wells, who had been a member of the Court of High Commission for trial of heretics or rebels, became prominent in administration.

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James, dying, was succeeded by his son Charles, who inherited his father's belief of the divine right of kings. He was perpetually in conflict with his subjects. Laud was promoted to be Archbishop of Canterbury and used his almost unlimited power to compel Puritans and other dissenters to conformity with the church. Macaulay says that under his direction every corner of the realm was subject to constant inspection. Every little congregation of Separatists was tracked out and broken up, and even the devotions of private families could not escape the vigilance of his spies. Nor was this all. The Convocation compiled a book of canon law, church law, whereby all who refused to conform were excommunicated and cast out as heathen; they were made incapable of bringing an action at law for recovery of legal debts, and were liable, by action of court, to be imprisoned for life, or until they gave satisfaction to the church. They were, in fact, exposed to indignities of every sort during life, and denied Christian burial after death.

Such a condition was not to be endured, and the inevitable recoil, with all who cared for freedom, is the answer to our question of

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why Nicholas Danforth and such as he should prefer exile to tarrying under such oppression.

Among the many who suffered persecution was Rev. Thomas Shepard, whose protest against spiritual despotism made him especially obnoxious to Archbishop Laud, so that he was hunted from place to place, and finally prohibited from preaching. Thus distressed, he resolved to escape from England. In this, after much delay, with many obstructions caused by the government, he at last succeeded, and with a company of friends, crossed the ocean and settled at Cambridge.

It was a few years previous to this that from the little village of Scrooby, in Yorkshire, a company of brave men had escaped with their families to Holland, where they were kindly and hospitably treated; but since the habits and language of that worthy people were foreign to them, a large part of them preferred the remote New World, and the story of the Pilgrims, their voyage in the little craft, the "Mayflower," their landing at Plymouth in December, 1620, their toils, trials, sufferings, their bravery and their triumphs —these are a tale familiar as household words.

Happily, the spirit of commercial enterprise and adventure was beginning to furnish means of traversing the ocean. Both James and Charles had granted charters to companies of merchants, with right to specified tracts of territory, to trade with the natives, and with the duty of christianizing the savages.

Our ancestor availed himself of these facilities as did many another who like him was seeking the freedom that was denied him at home.

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No connected history of the families of Danforth during the early years of their life in New England is to be found.

With them, as with most others of the early settlers, the struggle for existence engrossed their time and labor. To provide shelter, food and clothing, and to guard themselves and theirs from assault of wild animals or hostile tribes was an all engrossing task. Along with this duty, they recognized the importance of maintaining the ministry of religion and of instruction for their children.

Within a comparatively few years, volumes of local history have been compiled and published, first by individuals, often clergymen, and later by committees appointed by the towns. These have rapidly multiplied. They afford important aid to the compilers of the history and genealogy of families, a fondness for which has happily been fostered; and in consequence, family meetings and the organization of family associations have greatly increased.

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The first meeting of the Danforth family assembled in Jackson Hall, Lowell, at the call of Joseph Danforth, Esq., of Tyngsboro, on Tuesday, October 14, 1879. About fifty persons were present.

The venerable man who had summoned them, welcomed the company, who, at his suggestion chose for chairman, Hon. Charles Pinckney Danforth of Nashua, N. H., with Charles H. Danforth as secretary.

These were afterward elected President and Recording Secretary of the Danforth Family Association, with sixteen Vice-presidents, William S. Danforth of Plymouth, Corresponding Secretary, and Charles C. Danforth of Concord as Treasurer.

After social conversation and interesting remarks by several persons, committees were appointed to prepare Constitution and By-Laws, to arrange for a second meeting, and to engage an orator and a poet for the occasion. It was voted to hold the next meeting at the same place, on the second Tuesday of October, 1880.

At the second meeting, held in accordance with the foregoing, nearly 100 persons were present. Hon. Charles P. Danforth presided, and in the absence of the Secretary, Charles C. Danforth acted as Secretary. The committee on Constitution and By-Laws reported a concise code, which was adopted. The historical committee reported progress, and letters were read from friends unable to be present. Rev. Edward Danforth Curtis read an able historical paper. Rev. Henry A. Hazen of Billerica, Hon. Joseph White, Secretary of the Mass. Board of Education, Mrs. Lephe Danforth of Philadelphia and Mr. Vespasian Danforth of Cambridge made interesting remarks, and Col. Charles C. Danforth read an appropriate poem. Two children, sons of Mr. George D. Danforth of Tyngsboro, were present, being of the tenth generation of the family in New England.

The third meeting was held in Jackson Hall, October 11, 1881, when a letter was read from Mrs. Richard B. Allen of Providence, enclosing a paper from Mr. William Smith, containing details of family history; original notes from George P. Danforth of Scranton, Pa., were also read, and letters from James F. Danforth of Athens, Alabama, telling of his father, who went from Charlestown, Mass., sixty years before, and from James B. Danforth of Rock Island, Illinois. Mrs. A. F. Danforth Raymond of Syracuse read an able historical paper, "showing a great deal of research."

At the fourth meeting, held in Wesleyan Hall, Boston, September 6, 1882, about 140 were present. Hon. Charles Pinckney

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Danforth made an eloquent address on retiring from the presidency of the association, which he had held from the beginning, and subsequently, on the report of the nominating committee, the following persons were chosen: Hon. Peter S. Danforth of Middleburg, N. Y., President, with twelve Vice-presidents; Col. Charles C. Danforth of Concord, Recording Secretary and Treasurer; William S. Danforth of Plymouth, Corresponding Secretary. The committee on heraldry reported, describing a coat of arms which had been furnished, as that of the Danfords, and which they thought was the coat of arms of the family.

Hon. Peter S. Danforth read an able and interesting historical paper; Col. Charles C. Danforth read a poem; a committee of five was appointed "to take action in preparing a history of the Danforth family," viz.: Mr. John J. May, Mrs. Danforth-Raymond of Syracuse, William S. Danforth of Plymouth, Col. John Danforth of New York, and Edward Danforth of Elmira, N. Y. Mr. Vespasian Danforth of Cambridge presented a copy of a pedigree from the College of Arms of England, with "Details of real estate transactions of Thomas and Nicholas Danforth of Framlingham, England."

The Association dined together at the Quincy House. After which, they listened to addresses by Rev. Henry A. Hazen, Mr. John J. May, Hon. Edward Danforth of Elmira, William C. Danforth, Esq., of Barnard, Vt., Dr. Isaac N. Danforth of Chicago, and Joseph L. Danforth, Esq., of Louisville, Ky. Mrs. Danforth-Raymond and Mrs. Colman of Syracuse responded to an invitation to address the company and were listened to with interest. Several letters were read and the exercises were closed with the singing by the choir of an original ode.

At the fifth meeting, held at the Meionaon, Boston, Sept. 1, 1886, more than 200 were present. In the absence of the president, Mr. William S. Danforth of Plymouth was chosen to preside, and opened the meeting with a brief address. Rev. Horace M. Danforth of Oswego, N. Y., offered an impressive prayer. Mr. May, as chairman of the committee, made an address of welcome, and a poem was read by Mr. Samuel May, Jr. The gentleman who had been appointed to present a historical address, having failed at the eleventh hour, it fell to the lot of the chairman of the genealogical committee to prepare such a paper, and it was read to the meeting by Rev. Henry A. Hazen. Portions of this paper are given above.

Interesting addresses were made by Dr. Isaac N. Danforth and Miss Juliet Danforth of Chicago; Rev. James Danforth of Tyngsboro; Hon. Herman W. Snow of Kankakee, Ill., and others.

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The sixth meeting was held at Chicago, July 20, 1893, Dr. Isaac N. Danforth presiding, with Miss Sarah Smith King of San Antonio, Texas, secretary. Mr. May presented the report of the committee, embodying the principal parts of the historical paper he had given at the previous meeting. This address was printed in the report of the meeting, which has been widely circulated in the family. The committee previously appointed reported the motto: "*Nec temere, nec timide,*" to be used with the family coat of arms, which was adopted.

The meeting listened with interest to an address by Hon. Adams Earl of Lafayette, Ind., who in many ways contributed largely to the enjoyment and success of the meeting. A very entertaining speech was made by Hialmar H. Stone of Rockford, Ill.; addresses followed by Royal Richardson of Pleasanton, Ia.; George Danforth Burr of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. Elizabeth Skelton Danforth of Chicago. Many letters of great value were read. After singing the Doxology, with piano accompaniment by Mr. Solomon Danforth of Lowell, the meeting closed with an exceedingly impressive prayer by Rev. Otis S. Danforth of Rochester, N. H.

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Of the committee appointed for this work, the writer, though much the older, alone survives.

From the beginning, three of the number — busily engaged in their respective offices, — were unable to do more than to supply the details of their immediate families. The work, begun with the aid of Mrs. Raymond, might have been completed long ago but for the untimely death* of that excellent lady.

In several visits to Syracuse and one visit of Mrs. Raymond at my home, the work had far advanced; then, having no assistant, and being otherwise fully occupied, I was compelled to lay aside the work, except that a record was kept of passing events, and replies made to correspondents. The prevailing fondness for joining the patriotic Orders has brought many applicants for genealogic details to which I have tried to give prompt response.

After a long interval, during which I sought in vain to find another to take the duty off my hands, I have been enabled to resume by the proffered aid of Mrs. Florence (Danforth) Stamp of Ogden (post office address, Adams Basin), N. Y. With taste and talent for such work, and experience in the genealogy of the kindred Man-

* This occurred at the family home in Gifford Street, Syracuse, where her elder sister, Mrs. Lucy Colman, continues, after many years of active philanthropic work, carefully attended by her niece, Mrs. Elizabeth Raymond, whose husband, lately candidate of the labor party for the mayoralty, has been during many years manager of extensive machine works, and in high position in the Masonic fraternity.

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ning family, Mrs. Stamp has conducted a wide correspondence and compiled many details, thus rendering very valuable assistance.

Thanks are due to many friends who have supplied details for this volume. Notably among such are Miss Sarah G. Williams of Rocky Hill and Hartford, Conn.; Miss Effie Danforth of Norwalk, Ohio; Mrs. Emma M. Wiley of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Miss H. Jane Witherill of Russell, N. Y.; Miss Sarah S. King of San Antonio, Texas, and many others, of whose kind assistance recognition will be found in the succeeding pages.

The large amount of material thus accumulated required for its orderly arrangement an amount of labor for which I had neither sufficient time, strength nor eyesight, and the aid of the experienced compiler and publisher, Rev. Charles H. Pope, was happily secured. His skillful aid in arranging material, indexing and correcting proof has been of greatest value.

It is on many accounts regrettable that the strict modern method of compilation rejects much of the detail of collateral branches, of which a great deal has been gathered. It is intended to preserve much of this in an interleaved volume which may be finally deposited with the N. E. Historic Genealogical Society, 18, Somerset Street, Boston.

Presumably some errors and very many omissions will be found in our pages. Few similar works are quite free from such faults, and the long interval between the early and the later periods of work has inevitably left many spaces which ought to be filled. Information on these points will be very welcome, and may be sent during the current year to my present address (P. O. Box 2348), and afterward to Mr. Pope, at 221, Columbus Ave., Boston.

As from time to time I have studied the history and recorded the life and death of these worthy men and women of successive generations, I have been impressed with the importance of the work which cherishes their memory.

Extending over more than two and a half centuries, the record bears the names of many able and influential statesmen; of many learned judges; many honored clergymen, skillful physicians, able lawyers, enterprising merchants, ingenious workmen and inventors, pioneers and progressive tillers of the soil, with mothers, wives, sisters, worthy of the best; to which must be added a vast array of military* service from the early struggle with assailing red men to the present conflict which we earnestly hope may be the last.

It is to the writer an interesting thought that his own ancestors, dwelling since 1640 in Roxbury and Boston, were constantly connected in church and in civil government, and frequently by family ties, with the great family here commemorated; and that many of

* There were no fewer than thirteen of the family in the Bunker Hill fight.

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their dead lie side by side in the old graveyards of Cambridge and Roxbury and in the picturesque grounds of Mount Auburn and Forest Hills cemeteries.

Conscious of many imperfections in his work, the writer can claim only the merit of having tried to do faithfully the duty laid upon him years ago, and may cherish the hope that the result may be acceptable to those for whom he has wrought.

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# DANFORTH GENEALOGY.

NICHOLAS DANFORTH, the pioneer, is thus described by Rev. Cotton Mather, the famous scholar and writer, in his account of Rev. Samuel Danforth, as one of the celebrated ministers of the early days of Massachusetts:

"Mr. N. Danforth; a gentleman of such estate and repute in the world that it cost him a considerable sum to escape the knighthood which K. Charles I. imposed on all of so much per annum; and of such figure and esteem in the church that he procured that famous lecture at Framlingham in Suffolk, where he had a fine mannour; which lecture was kept by Mr. Burroughs and many other noted ministers in their turn; to whom, especially to Mr. Shepard, he prov'd a Gaius, and especially when the Laudian fury scorched them. This person had three sons, whereof the second was our Samuel, born in September in the year 1626, and by the desire of his mother, who died three years after his birth, earnestly dedicated unto the 'schools of the prophets.' His father brought him to New England in the year 1634, and at his death, about four years after his arrival here, he committed this hopeful son of many prayers unto the paternal oversight of Mr. Shepherd, who proved a kind patron unto him." [Magnalia, II, 59].

Investigations in the town and county to which the foregoing account points have been made at various times for a quarter of a century, and lately completed by the very accurate searcher, Miss Emma M. Walford, of London. The result is exceedingly gratifying. We discover the ancestry of our pioneer to the fourth generation in Framlingham, with notes of the good standing of the family. While his father and maternal grandfather are each styled "yeoman", the possession of wealth and exhibition of qualities that made the officer in town and church may well be supposed to have led the king to make the offer to Nicholas Danforth, which Mather describes. Although a sympathizer with the Puritan party at the time of his coming hither, we see that he had been in harmony with the "standing order" before. His help extended to ministers of the new movement would naturally lead to his being less acceptable at home and more inclined to migrate as they had done. We give here the chain of wills which show the descent of the immigrant; reserving for the Appendix a fuller account of the town of Framlingham and other English documents.

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## IPSWICH (ENGLAND) WILLS. ARCH. SUFFOLK.

Book 5, folio 280.

On the feast of the Assumption of Our Lady, 1512, I, William Dernford of Framlingham at the Castle make will, etc. To be buried in Churchyard of St. Michaels, Framlingham. Legacies for repairs of churches of Babyngham [Ravyngham] and Cranesford. Isabell my wife to have my tenement called Gerveys for life and 40 s. yearly out of my close or tenement called Lyncolnes. Powle [Paul] my son at age of 24 to have my said tenement called Lyncolnes. James my son at age of 24 to take profits of my land in Badyngham [Ravyngham] called Senglers; to him and his heirs. Reynold my son after death of my wife to have tenement called Gerveys; to him and heirs of his body; for default same to go to my daurs. Isabell & Eliz.

Legacies to Johan Smyth, Margaret Walle & Isabell Ederych. Wife & John Ederych to be exors., & Sir Thomas Greveson supervisor.

Witness: Sir Thomas Greveson.

Proved 23 Oct. 1512.

Book 13, folio 259.

13 Nov. 1538. I Paul Derneford of Framlingham. To be buried in ch. of Framlingham. Katheryne my wife to have tenement called Lyncolnes in F. until Nicholas my son be 21, & then he shall pay her 40 s. yearly & hold it to him according to will of William Derneford, my father; if he die Thomas my son to have the said tenement. My close called Beetis to be in occupation of my said wife until said Thomas be 21; if he die the same to go to Robert my son & his heirs; if he die, to Richard my son & his heirs. Mentions land called Battoftes, meadow called Brodewater & Metpetmedowe. Dau$^{rs}$. Isabell, Margaret, Agnes & Olive. Exors: Wife Katherine & brother James Derneford.

Witnesses: John Lewoode, W$^{m}$. Nuttell, John Hoberd.

Proved 18 Nov. 1538.

Book 30, folio 606.

12 Nov. 1585. I Nicholas Derneford of Framlingham. To Alice my wife the half profits of my houses & grounds at Castell, except Baldinges Close & the house there; also 1 piece of free ground in Ufford. Son Thomas to have lease of Baldinges Close. Dau$^{rs}$. Anne, Margaret, Eliz., Olive Smalledge. Son in law William Smalledge. To Anne Derneford, dau. of my brother Robert 6$^{s}$. 8$^{d}$. To Anne Derneford dau. of my brother Richard 5$^{s}$. Son Thomas to be exor. Brother Robert & bro. in law W$^{m}$. Jordon, supervisors.

Witnesses: Thomas Riches, Anne Williams.

Proved 17 Feb$^{y}$. 1585[-6].

Book 40, folio 69 b.

17 July, 1603. I Allice Dranforth of Framlingham at the Castle, widow. Grandchildren: Roger & W$^{m}$. Smallhead, Robert Dranforth. Sons in law Thos. Bacon, Edmund Durrant, John Tokelove. To Mary & Jane my son's dau$^{rs}$. Dau$^{rs}$. Anne, Margery & Elizabeth. Son: Thomas. To Eliz. & Grace my son's maids, 2/

Witnesses. Toby Sudbury, Edm. Durrant, John [illegible]

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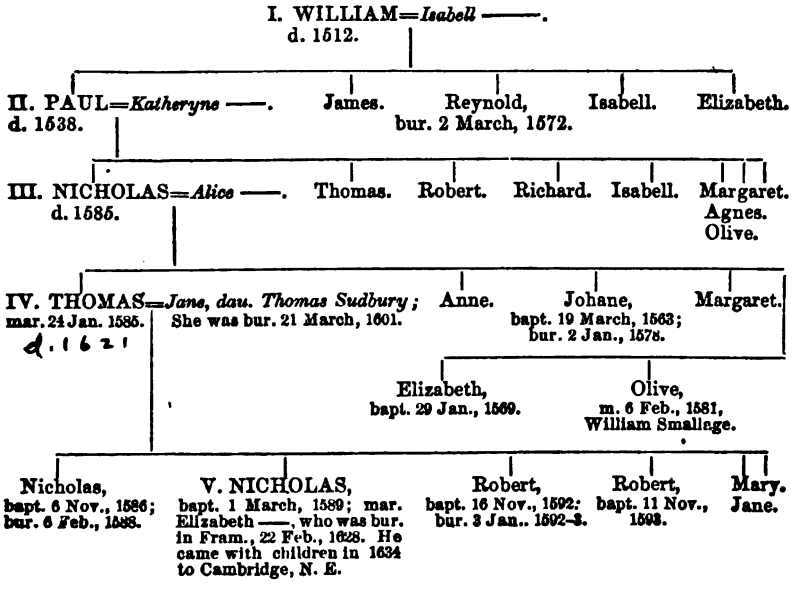
Arch. Suff. Original Wills, No. 67.

Thomas Danforth of Framlingham at castrum, yeoman, 20 April, 1621; proved 7 Sep 1621. To my son Robert my best Bible & the desk that it lyeth on. Daughter Mary, daughter Jane. Land & 2 little houses called Bugles I bought of uncle Robert Danforth, deceased. Son Nicholas to be executor. John Powesse of Framlingham & Roger Smalett of Ike to be supervisors.

Consistory Court of Norwich, B. Borne, Book 28.

Thomas Sudbury of Kelleshall, Suff. yeoman. 18 Feb. 1606. Proved 10 March, 1606. Wife Alice; nephew Tobie Sudbury. Lands & tenements in Bliborowe. Thomas son of W$^{m}$. Sudbury & John, brother of said Thomas. Lands &c. in Middleton. John & W$^{m}$. S., sons of brother John. Niece Amye, wife of Robert Appleyarde. Children of niece Susan, wife of Mr. Tofts, clerk, viz. Susan, John, Roger & Amye. Mary, Jane, Nicholas & Robert Danforth, children of Jane Danforth, deceased. Anthony Sudbury; Frances S. my niece; Robert Gooch. [See Framlingham Parish Register entries etc., Appendix A].

PEDIGREE OF NICHOLAS DANFORTH, OF FRAMLINGHAM, ENG.




The parish registers of Framlingham (where the name is spelled Danforth, Danforthe, Danford, Danforde, Daneford, Darnford, Darneforde, Dampford, Dampforde, Dernford and Derneforth) show that Nicholas was one of the leading men, being a "church warden"

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in 1622 at least. We learn further from the History of the town (p. 176) that he was a member of the "Court Baron" or "Borough Leet Jury" in 1629. He was the son of Thomas and Jane (Sudbury) Danforth, baptized in F. "1 Mar. 1589." The marriage registers are wanting from 1615 to 1620, the period which included his wedding; the Baptismal registers give us merely the Christian name of his wife, "Elizabeth"; nor do any other documents yet discovered show her family name. The baptisms of the children are given below in due order. As the burial of "Elizabeth Darnford," "22 Feb. 1628" corresponds to Mather's statement that she "died three years after his birth," the list of children may be presumed to be complete. Thomas Danforth, father of Nicholas, married "24 Jan$^{y}$, 1585," Jane, daughter of Thomas Sudbury, of Kellshall, county Suffolk, and perhaps of his wife Alice who survived him; his will (see foregoing page) made 18 Feb., proved 10 March, 1606, made bequests to the children of Jane, "deceased," she having died five years before. Thomas Danforth made his will 20 April, 1620; proved 7 Sept., 1621; making such mention of his children as to show conclusively the relationships in both families; Nicholas was executor.

Mr. Nicholas Danforth is mentioned in the town records of Cambridge as a proprietor in 1635. He bought lands and houses of John White, John Taylcott, William Spencer, and Edward Stebbinge, and of Rev. Thomas Hooker, in October, 1635, and May, 1636, these gentlemen all having removed to Connecticut.

One of the houses he thus purchased was described in the Proprietors' Records as follows:

"One Dwelling house with outhouses gardens and backside and plantinge ground aboute Three Ackers and halfe the land late of Antho: Couldbey southwest late of John Pratt southeast the highway to Wattertown northwest the highway to the windmill hill on the northeast."

The historian of Cambridge states that he resided on what is now called Bow street, near Mount Auburn street.

He was chosen a deputy or representative to the General Court in 1635. March 3, 1635–6, he was—with others—"deputed to sett out the bounds of the newe plantacon above Charles Ryver" [Concord]. The committee reported 13 April, 1636. In September following he was appointed to a similar duty, "to measure and sett the bounds of Roxberry"; and to sett those between Dedham and Dorchester 15 Nov. 1637. When the important committee to "take order for a colledge at Newetowne" was selected, 20 Nov. 1637, Mr. Danforth was one of those selected. Another land boundary was submitted to him with associates 6(1)1637–8. He was also one of the eleven men (one in a town), whom the Court by its vote

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12 March, 1637-8, allowed "to sell wine & strong water,"—"no man else to sell by retaile w^th^out license from the counsell." So great was the pressure upon the government to provide places where these articles could be bought, and so many the abuses of the retail traffic, that they sought to place the traffic in the hands of their first citizens.

The records of the Court show that 2 May, 1638, another man was appointed to attend to the Dedham and Dorchester business "insteed of Mr. Damford who is dead"; a subsequent reference to the matter giving his name in better spelling—"Mr. Danforth."

Soon after the beginning of the new year, 1638, namely in the second month, April, this brief, yet highly honorable career closed; the day of the month is not known; the record reads: "Nicholas Danford dyed (2°) 1638." No minute of the disposition of his estate remains in any other form than the statement in the Proprietors' Records, among the notes respecting lands purchased by Nathaniel Sparrowhauke of various persons that a certain parcel was "bought of the ffeoffees of Nicholas Danforth deceased." The entry is not dated. The son Thomas sold land in 1654, which he stated he "had inherited from his father, Nicholas Danforth." Cambridge documents do not supply a list of the pioneer's children. The wills of the sons Thomas and Samuel connect them, and Samuel mentions brothers Thomas and Jonathan; the latter, unfortunately, left no will. But of other children we have scant tokens, and cannot avoid a feeling of regret that the brothers failed to refer to their sisters in their wills or other documents. "Friend Capt. Andrew Belcher," says Thomas, with no hint of relationship; and Dea. Trowbridge is also called "friend."

But the Rev. Jonathan Mitchell, in his church record, makes note that Andrew Belcher and Elizabeth, daughter of the late Nicholas Danforth, were married Oct. 1, 1639; and says that Anna, wife of Matthew Bridge, was also a daughter.

"Lydia Damforth" is asserted by Hinman in his work on the founders of Connecticut, to have been the wife of William Beaman or Beamont of Saybrook, Conn.; but he gives no note of her family. Dr. Savage states squarely that she was a daughter of Nicholas of Cambridge; but gives no authority for the statement. The fact that "Lydia" is one of the children of "Nicholas and Elizabeth Danforthe" baptized at Framlingham, May 24, 1625, is taken by some as evidence that she was the Connecticut bride. [See p. 11.]

The wife of our pioneer died, as we have seen, in the year 1628–9. The writer has no means of knowing from whence the supposition sprang that she was "Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. William Symmes, of Canterbury, England, and a sister of Rev. Zachariah Symmes, second minister of the church at Charlestown."

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The entire absence of allusions to relationship between men so prominent as the Danforths and Mr. Symmes in their own writings and the sketches of them written near their own time is strong ground for suspecting the error of the guess; and the distance of Kent from Suffolk also throws discredit upon the theory. But it is enough that we have her character so well indicated by Mather, who must have been in close relations to the grandsons of the lady; and her personality needs no name to support it; she lives in her children and children's children. Future explorations of wills and parish registers in old England may reveal, however, what we so much desire to know, her family history. In the will of Rev. John, grandson of Nicholas, we shall see a referenee to an entailed estate in England.

Children of Nicholas Danforth, the Immigrant, and his wife Elizabeth:

i. ELIZABETH, baptized at Framlingham, Eng., 3 Aug. 1619, married in Cambridge 1 Oct. 1639, Andrew Belcher, "mariner," "trader," "vintner," "painter," who was at that time a proprietor at Sudbury. He gave his age 7 (2) 1658, as 44 years. He removed in 1645 (at least he then sold his house in Sudbury) and made his home in Cambridge. Here he kept the "Blue Anchor" tavern, which stood at the N.E. corner of Brighton and Mount Auburn streets; it was afterwards kept by his widow, and from her death by their son Andrew. He was a member of the church, a member of the artillery company. He was licensed by the Court in June, 1654, to keep a house of publique entertainment in Cambridge. He died in 1673; the inventory of his estate being taken Dec. 25 of that year, and adminstration granted to the widow Elizabeth. She died June 26, 1680, aged about 61. Her will, dated 10 June, probated 8 July, 1680, bequeathed to daughters Elizabeth Blower, Martha Remington, and Hannah Ballard; to the daughters of deceased daughter Jemimah Scill; and gave the remainder to her son Andrew Belcher.

Children of Andrew and Elizabeth (Danforth) Belcher, "all baptized in Cambridge."

1. *Elizabeth Belcher*, b. 17 Aug. 1640; d. Aug. 29, 1709; mar. March 31, 1668, Capt. Pyam Blowers, a merchant of Boston, freeman 22 March, 1689–90; died 1709. Children:

(1) Thomas Blowers, b. and d. in 1669.
(2) Samuel Blowers, b. and d. 1671.
(3) Jonathan Blowers. b. Feb. 8, 1673.
(4) Anna Blowers, b. 1674, d. 1676.
(5) Elizabeth Blowers, b. 19 Aug. 1675; d. 6 April, 1714; mar. Rev. Thomas Symmes (H. C. 1698) minister of Boxford, later of Bradford.

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(6) Anna Blowers, b. July 16, 1676.
(7) Thomas Blowers, b. Aug. 1, 1677 (H. C. 1695) minister of Beverly; his son John lived at Boston and had son Sampson Salter Blowers (H. C. 1763) who studied law under Gov. Hutchinson; defended British soldiers engaged in Boston Massacre in 1770; was a loyalist; went to Halifax where he became legislator and chief justice of Supreme court;* d. Oct. 25, 1842, æ 100 years, 7 mos.
(8) Pyam Blowers, b. and d. 1679.
(9) John Blowers, b. Oct. 22, 1680.
(10) Andrew Blowers, b. and d. 1682.

2. *Jemima Belcher*, b. April 5, 1642, d. 1675; m. Dec. 5, 1660, Joseph Sill (or Scill), of Cambridge (b. about 1635); he was son of John and Joanna, who came from Newcastle on Tyne, Eng., before May, 1638, when he was made freeman of the colony; Joseph was distinguished for services in King Philip's war, especially at Groton, where he had command, and at Dover, where he aided in the surprise of Indians at Maj. Waldron's. Rem. to Lyme, Conn.; m. second wife. Children:
(1) Andrew Sill, b. Feb. 5, 1665.
(2) Joseph Sill, b. March, 1666.
(3) Jemima, b. Sept. 21, 1667; m. Dec, 2, 1687, John Hall, of Medford: d. 12 Dec., 1712.
(4) Elizabeth, b. Sept. 2, 1668; m. Nov. 18, 1685, Samuel Green; d. in July, 1690.
(5) Andrew Sill. (6) Thomas Sill.

3. *Martha Belcher*, b. July 26, 1644; d. July 16, 1711; m. 13 July, 1664, Jonathan, son of Jonathan and Elizabeth Remington, of Rowley and Roxbury, b. about 1639, d. 21 April, 1700. He was a selectman, town clerk, treasurer. Children of Jonathan and Martha (Belcher) Remington:
(1) Martha Remington, b. 18 Feb. 1667; d. April, 1669.
(2) Jonathan Remington, b. 18 March, d. April, 1669.
(3) Martha Remington, b. 28 Oct., 1674; m. Nicholas Rowes (his third wife).
(4) Jonathan Remington, b. 27 July, 1677; d. 20 Sept., 1745; (H. C. 1696); m. Lucy, granddau. of Gov. Simon and Anne (Dudley) Bradstreet, b. 31 Oct., 1680, d. 18 April,

* He was the Judge who pronounced the decree that drove from their homes the unhappy refugees whose sad fate is told (with poet's enlargement) in Longfellow's Evangeline.

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1743. He was judge of Middlesex Court C. P. 1729; judge of Probate 1731; member governor's council. His dau. Ann m. Hon. William Ellery of Newport, R. I. (H. C. 1747); judge, assistant, dep. governor, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. Their dau. Elizabeth m. Hon. Francis Dana, whose descendants have been so eminent in literature, law, statesmanship and journalism; their dau. Lucy m. William Channing, and gave to the world that eminent preacher Rev. William Ellery Channing (H. C. 1798), pastor, 1803–1840, Federal St. Church—now Arlington St. Church—Boston, in which is a marble tablet with elaborate inscription to his memory; one of the most prominent founders of American Unitarianism.

(5) Samuel Remington, b. 1679, July 11; d. 1680.
(6) Ann Remington, b. 30 Jan., 1681.
(7) John Remington, d. April, 1689.
(8) Sarah Bemington, b. 10 May, 1688.

4. *Mary Belcher*, b. 19 Jan., 1646–7; d. 24 June, 1691.
5. *Andrew Belcher*, Jr., b. 1 Jan., 1647–8; d. 31 Oct., 1717; married first, at Hartford, Conn., in July, 1670, Sarah, dau. of Jonathan Gilbert, marshall of that colony, b. 25 July, 1651, d. 26 Jan., 1689. He married second, widow Hannah (Frary) Walker, dau. of Theophilus and Hannah (Eliot) Frary, a deacon of the Old South Church of Boston. Andrew kept the tavern at Cambridge after the death of his parents; rem. to Boston, and became one of the most opulent merchants; member of committee of safety in the struggle against Andros; captain; assistant; councillor. Children:

(1) Andrew Belcher, b. in Hartford, Conn., 12 March, 1672; d. unm.
(2) Sarah Belcher, b. in Charlestown, 1674; m. (1) Joseph Lynde; m. (2) William Foye.
(3) Deborah Belcher, b. 1676; d. 1688.
(4) Elizabeth Belcher, b. Cambridge 12 Jan., 1678; d. 21 May, 1736; m. 23 April, 1696, Daniel Oliver, of Boston, b. 28 Feb., 1664, d. 23 July, 1732, son of Peter and Sarah (Newdigate) Oliver, and grandson of elder Thomas Oliver, who came to Boston in 1632 and was a very prominent man.
(5) Mary Belcher; b. Charlestown, 7 March, 1680; d. 3 Feb., 1700; m. George Vaughan.

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(6) Jonathan Belcher, b. Cambridge, 28 Jan., 1682; d. Elizabethtown, N. J., 31 Aug., 1757; m. first, 4 Jan., 1706, Mary Partridge, who d. 6 Oct., 1736; he m. second, 9 Sept., 1748, Mary Louise Amelia Teal, at Burlington, N. J. He was grad. H. C. 1699; merchant in Boston some years; agent for colony in Eng. 1728; Gov. of Mass. and N. H., 1730; afterward Gov. of New Jersey, and died there; but, at his own request, was buried in Cambridge. His name was given to Belchertown, Mass., where he owned land.

(7) Ann Belcher, b. Char., 30 March, 1684; m. Oliver Noyes, a Boston merchant, rep. to Gen. Court in 1719.

(8) Martha Belcher, b. Char., 29 March, 1686; d. 18 Feb. 1748; m. May, 1705, Anthony Stoddard.

(9) Deborah Belcher, b. and d. 1689.

6. *Anna* or *Hannah Belcher*, b. 1 Jan., 1649–50; m. 1 May, 1678, Samuel Ballard, of Charlestown, (his second wife); he was admitted freeman of the colony in 1680; d. 12 Nov, 1708, æ. 70.

ii. MARY ("Marie"), bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 3 May, 1621.

iii. ANNA, bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 3 Sept., 1622; m. about 1644, Matthew Bridge, of Cambridge; b. in Eng. about 1615 [Mi.] d. 28 Dec., 1700. He was a son of Dea. John Bridge, one of the founders of Cambridge; was a resident of Cambridge till about 1668, when he removed to what is now Lexington, where he became a leading citizen. Memb. Artillery Co. 1643.* His wife survived him and d. 2 Dec., 1704.

Children of Matthew and Anna (Danforth) Bridge:

1. *John Bridge*, b. 15 June, 1645; d. Boston, Sept. 1672; unm.; his father adm. on his estate.
2. *Ann Bridge*, b. 1646; d. 28 Aug., 1727; m. first, 4 June, 1668, Samuel Livermore, of Watertown, son of John and Grace L., bapt. 15 Aug., 1641, d. 28 Dec., 1700.

* A statue (ideal) in bronze stands on the Common, Cambridge, the work of the able artist (French). This statue, and that of John Harvard, on the Delta in Cambridge, also by French, were the gifts of Samuel James Bridge.

Samuel James Bridge, in the fifth generation, was born at Boston 1 June, 1809; was a merchant in Boston; appointed principal appraiser in the Custom House; in 1853 or 1854 he was made Appraiser General of the U. S., for the Pacific coast, residing in San Francisco. He did very valuable service for the government in this position; by his fidelity and firmness he increased the revenues of his district and saved the government from fraud in several conspicuous instances. He was a most entertaining narrator and had a wide circle of friends. After his retirement he traveled extensively. He gave to the town of Dresden, Me. (which was his home in early childhood) a High School building; to the city of San Francisco a fund for honorary medals for public school children; to the city of Cambridge the ideal statue of his pioneer ancestor, John Bridge; and to Harvard College the bronze statue of John Harvard, which is the rallying point of Class Day exercises. In 1880 he received the degree of A.M.

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His father conveyed to him by deed dated 10 March, 1681, in recognition of his dutiful service, his homestead, 31 acres, with 20 acres of woodland. Among their numerous descendants are many distinguished persons; in later years Hon. Anson Burlingame, bold and brave, distinguished for his services to our country as member of the National House of Representatives and Minister to China; and for his great service to China in negotiating most important treaties as special ambassador of that government. He died at St. Petersburg, Feb. 23, 1870. Ann Bridge m. second, Oliver Wellington, who died 30 Aug., 1727, two days later than her own decease.

3. *Martha Bridge*, b. 19(11)1648–9; d. 15(11)1649–50.
4. *Matthew Bridge*, b. 5 May, 1650; d. 29 May, 1738; m. 1687, Abigail, dau. of Joseph and Mary (Belcher) Russell of Cambridge, b. 12 May, 1668, d. 14 Dec. 1722. Children:

   (1) Mary Bridge, b. 1688, m. first William Russell, second Samuel Whitman.
   (2) Ann Bridge, b. 12 Sept., 1691, m. Isaac Watson.
   (3) Matthew Bridge, b. 1 March, 1694; d. 25 March, 1761; m. 22 March, 1720, Abigail, dau. of Nathaniel and Ann (Bernard) Bowman.
   (4) Abigail Bridge, b. 1 April, 1696; m. 1730 Benjamin Whitney, of Marlboro.
   (5) Joseph Bridge, b. 8 July, 1698; d. 21 Nov., 1778; m. 18 Nov., 1722, Abigail, dau. of Thomas and Sarah (Stone) Cutler.
   (6) John Bridge, b. 1 Sept., 1700; d. 7 May, 1776; m. first, 4 Jan., 1730, Ann Herrick, of Wenham; m. second, 1732, Sarah, dau. of Joseph and Mary Tidd; third, Mary Porter, of Woburn. Rev. Wm. Fred Bridge, of Foster, O., H. U. 1846, compiler of the Genealogy of Bridge Family, is a scion of this branch.
   (7) Elizabeth Bridge, b. 30 Nov., 1703; d. unm., 1750.
   (8) Samuel Bridge, b. 2 May, 1705; d. 3 June, 1791; m. first, Susannah Read, who d. 16 Jan., 1735; m. second, 27 April, 1738, Martha, dau. of Joseph and Phebe Bowman, b. 8 Sept., 1718; d. 10 June, 1773. A great grandson of this couple was the late Hon. Charles Devens, U. S. Attorney General, judge of Supreme Judicial Court of Mass., &c., whose statue in bronze adorns the grounds of the State House, Boston.

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(9) Martha Bridge, b. 20 Sept., 1707; d. Boston, 20 April, 1754, unm.

5. *Samuel Bridge*, b. 12 Feb., 1652–3; d. 5 Feb., 1673.
6. *Thomas Bridge*, b. 1 June, 1656; d. 28 March, 1673.
7. *Elizabeth Bridge*, b. 17 Aug., 1659; m. first, 19 Jan., 1678, Capt. Benjamin Garfield, son of the first of the name in this country, Edward Garfield of Watertown (probably child of his first wife Rebecca, and b. about 1643). She was his second wife (the first having been Mehetabel Hawkins, by whom he had two sons, Benjamin and Benoni); he d. 28 Nov., 1717. Elizabeth (Bridge) Garfield m. second, Daniel Harrington (his second wife).

Children of Capt. Benjamin and Elizabeth (Bridge) Garfield:

(1) Elizabeth Garfield, b. 30 June, 1679.
(2) Lieut. Thomas Garfield, b. 12 Dec., 1680; d. at Weston, 4 Feb., 1752; m. Mercy Bigelow; their oldest son Thomas was father of Solomon, the father of Thomas, the father of Abram, the father of James Abram Garfield, the distinguished statesman and martyr president of the United States.
(3) Ann Garfield, b. 2 June, 1683; d. 3 Sept., 1737; m. 1703, Dea. Benj. Brown of Weston.
(4) Abigail Garfield, b. 13 July, 1685.
(5) Mehetabel Garfield, b. 7 Dec., 1687; m. 1715, Dea. John Jones.
(6) Samuel Garfield, b. 3 Sept., 1690.
(7) Mary Garfield, b. 2 Oct., 1695; d. 28 Nov., 1717.

2. iv. THOMAS, bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 20 Nov., 1623.
v. LYDIA, bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 24 May, 1625.

On the records of Saybrook, Conn., there is a page devoted to each of the early settlers, containing a list of his lands and also his family record. One of these, which seems to have been written by the proprietor, excepting its last item, relates to "William Beamon." We are not concerned particularly about his lands, of which he had a good share. But there is much interest in "the marig of will beamon" which is thus stated:

"maried to Lidia Dorford the 9th of desember in the yere 164"

[the edge of the page has worn off so that the last figure is gone].

Comparing the name of this bride with the other writing on the page one would naturally read it, Lidea dorford or dorsord. No one would think it *danford*, as it has been copied, were it not for two facts: first, that there is no name among the early settlers of New England which can be twisted into either of the forms I have stated; second, on a page a little earlier in the book one finds an entry respecting the name "Danforth Clark," whose cattle-marks are among the interpolated entries of a frugal clerk a century later, 1760–1770. Perhaps this entry led Hinman and others to interpret

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the bride's name "Danford." Lydia, eldest daughter of William and Lydia Beamon, m. (1) 3 Feb., 1667, Samuel Boyes; she m. (2) 15 April, 1684, Alexander Pygam, "from Norwich in old England" [Norwich Conn. record], as his second wife (his first wife was Judith, daughter of William Redfin, of N., formerly of Cambridge, Mass.). July 2, 1698, Andrew Belcher, of Boston (son of Andrew and Elizabeth (Danforth) Belcher, of Cambridge, who had married Sarah Gilbert, of Hartford, Conn.) gave a receipt to Mr. Pygam, calling him "cozen," which commonly meant *nephew* at that day. Lydia (Beamon) (Boyes) Pygam died July 20, 1734; and the N. E. Weekly Journal, of Boston, in recording the event, said, "she was the first female child born in Saybrook; her mother was a Danforth." [Adams Notes in Mass. Hist. Soc. Coll., 4th series, Vol. I.]

Whence William Beamon came the records do not tell. He may be the person of that name who came from England to Boston in the Elizabeth, 15 April, 1627; resided in Salem in 1637; testified in court 25 (5) 1644 to an account of R. Saltonstall; but is no more found in Massachusetts records. We read in the Saybrook record: "Lydia Beamont, the wife of William Beamont, departed this life the 16th day of August, 1686." "William Beamont dyed the 4th of ffebruary, 1698–9."

Children of William and Lydia Beamon:

1. Lydia ("lidea") Beamon, born 9 March, 164[5].
2. Mary Beamon, born 12 Nov., 164[7]; married at Saybrook, 3 Jan., 1671, John Tully.
3. Elizabeth Beamon, born 2 March. 164[9].
4. Deborah Beamon, born 29 Nov., [1652].
5. Abigail Beamon, born 20 Feb., [1654]; and died at Saybrook, 29 Sept., 1683.
6. Samuel Beamon, born "the last day of ffebruary" [1656]; received deed of one half his father's lands after attaining his majority.
7. Rebekah Beamon, born "the 7th of September in the year" [1659]; married at Saybrook, 17 Dec., 1684, John Clark, Jr.

"Danforth Clark" was a grandson of this couple and was born *about* 1735. [C. H. P.]

3. vi. SAMUEL, bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 17 Oct., 1626.
4. vii. JONATHAN, bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 2 March, 1627–8.

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      - 284. John B. ..459. Henry D.[9]
      - 285. Fred. W. R.
    - 75. Edward
      - 161. Edward J.
      - 162. Isaac M.
      - 286. Edward M. ..460. Edward H.
      - 287. Nicholas D.
      - 288. George H.
      - 289. James R. ..461. James R.
    - 76. Jonathan ..163. Jonathan ..290. Charles A.
    - 77. William
      - 164. William ..291. John
        - 462. Edward W.
        - 463. John H.
    - 78. Daniel
      - 165. Josiah
        - 292. Frederic L. ..464. Frank L.
        - 293. Richard H.
        - 294. Edgar C.
    - 79. Samuel ..166. Samuel ..295. Isaac M.
  - 31. Elijah
    - 80. Elijah
      - 167. Henry M. ..296. William A.
        - 465. Henry J.
        - 466. Almon G.
    - 81. Thomas
      - 168. Appleton H. ..297. Nathan B.
    - 82. Samuel
      - 169. Richard S.
        - 298. Charles R.
        - 299. John S.
      - 170. George P.
        - 300. Warren H.
        - 301. Frederic P.
      - 171. Almon H.
  - 32. Edward
    - 83. Asa
      - 172. George W.
      - 173. Asa H.
        - 302. Almon G. ..467. George C.
        - 303. Henry R.
    - 84. Benjamin
      - 174. Henry W. ..304. Lysander B.
      - 175. Hiram
  - 33. John ..86. Samuel ..176. John ..305. Samuel C.
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  - 35. Thomas
    - 87. Joseph
      - 178. Joseph H. ..306. James D.
      - 179. Thomas A.
        - 307. Thomas H. ..468. Henry F.
        - 308. Charles F.
        - 309. William M.
        - 310. George A.
        - 311. Edward W.
    - 88. John
      - 180. Stearns
        - 312. Edwin S.
        - 313. Robert H.
        - 314. Albert H.
      - 181. Silas
        - 315. Silas L.
        - 316. Milton E.
  - 36. Elijah
    - 89. Thomas
      - 182. Benjamin F. ..317. Benjamin F. ..469. George M.
      - 183. John ..318. Charles H.
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  - 37. Jonathan
    - 90. Jonathan
      - 184. Jonathan
        - 319. Jonathan
        - 320. Ebenezer
          - 470. Alfred H.
          - 471. Charles
        - 321. James ..472. Samuel S.
        - 322. Calvin
      - 184a. Leonard
        - 322a. Leonard
        - 322b. Albert G. ..473. Albert L.
        - 322c. Harvey B. ..474. Harvey L.
      - 185. David
        - 323. Luther W.
        - 324. Albon J.
        - 325. Horace M.
        - 326. Stanley F.
      - 186. Luther
      - 187. Asa
    - 91. David
      - 188. Eli
        - 327. Isaac ..475. Charles F.
        - 328. Charles ..476. Frederic
        - 329. Franklin
          - 477. George F.
          - 478. Edward F.
      - 189. Israel
      - 190. David

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38. Benjamin[5]

92. Benjamin[6]

191. Jonathan[7]
192. Isaac

330. James H.[8]
331. George F. ..480. Henry G.[9]
332. Isaac W.
333. Charles H.

..192a. Aaron

333a. Aaron
334. Charles
335. George H. ..481. George H.
336. Joseph V. ..482. Joseph F.

92a. Jonathan

193. Jonathan
194. Benjamin
195. Francis

336a. Oramel
336b. Jonathan
..336c. Eben T.

92b. Samuel

195a. Robert
195b. Cyrus
195c. David

337. Phinehas A.
483. Phinehas A.
483a. Augustus M.
338. Nason
339. Leander
340. Robert A.
..341. Hiram ..484. George D.
..342. Allen

93. Peter

196. Daniel C.

343. Isaac H. ..485. Daniel S.
344. Elisha L. ..486. Dana S.
345. David
346. Willard D.

197. David

347. Bliss
348. Samuel ..487. Philander G.
349. Hiram
350. Jeremiah M.
488. Thomas C.
488a. David S.

39. Joseph

94. Josiah

198. Joseph
199. Josiah

..351. Joseph ..489. George D.
..352. James ..490. James, Jr.

94a. Joseph

200. Asa

353. William R.
354. Joseph H. ..491. Ola H.
355. Francis A.
356. John
357. James

40. Samuel

41. Thomas

95. Thomas

201. Cyrus

358. Cyrus
359. Thomas
360. George
361. Franklin

202. Thomas

362. Loring
363. Elijah H.
364. Thomas ..492. Theodore T.
365. Flavel
366. Williston
367. Joel

204. Joel

368. Levi B.
369. Halsey J.

96. Asa

206. Asa
207. Adams

97. John

208. Thomas P.

370. Justin
493. Asahel B.
494. Van Ness G.
495. Willard J.
371. Volney
372. David B.

97a. Jonathan

209. George

373. Peter S.
374. George E.
495a. George L.
495b. Elliott

97b. Rufus

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42. John ..93. John ..211. John

375. John ..495c. Charles H.
376. Nathaniel B.
377. Henry.

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- 43. Joshua[5]
  - 99. Joshua[6]
    - 212. Josiah[7]
      - 378. Joseph[8]
      - 379. Aaron F. ..496. Aaron P.[9]
      - 380. George A.
        - 497. Joseph A.
        - 498. George E.
    - 213. Joseph
    - 214. John
      - 381. Joshua
      - 382. Stephen A.
      - 383. Hawes A.
  - 100. Benjamin ..215. Benjamin
    - 384. John M.
    - 385. Stillman A.
    - 386. Benjamin L.
    - 387. Amos B.
    - 388. Stephen B.
- 44. Jonathan
  - 101. Joshua
    - 216. Joshua N.
    - 217. Samuel A.
      - 389. Joshua N.
      - 390. Cornelius D.
  - 102. Jonathan
    - 218. David J.
      - 391. Douglas A.
      - 392. George
      - 393. William
    - 219. Jonathan R. ..394. Henry
      - 500. Henry P.
      - 501. Byron W.
      - 502. Lewis J.
    - 220. Henry K. ..395. James H.
    - 221. William ..396. Nelson
    - 222. E. Porter
  - 103. Coowie
  - 104. Keyes
    - 223. Charles ..397. Roderick F.
      - 504. Charles W.
      - 505. Montgomery
      - 506. Roderick F.
      - 507. John B.
    - 224. George
    - 225. Keyes, Jr. ..398. Bushnell

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- 45. William ..105. William W.
- 46. Jacob
  - 106. Jacob
  - 107. Jesse
- 47. David
  - 108. David
    - 226. Jesse
    - 227. Timothy
      - 399. Timothy S. ..507a. Jesse C.
      - 400. William N.
        - 508. Alfred W.
        - 509. Frank W.
      - 401. Joel C. ..510. Charles C.
      - 401a. Charles P. ..511. Charles B.
    - 228. Benjamin P. ..402. Benjamin F.
    - 228a. David
      - 403. David
      - 404. Benjamin P.
      - 405. Andrew J.
  - 109. Solomon
    - 229. Solomon ..406. John N.
    - 230. Simeon C.
      - 407. Charles C. ..513. Charles H.
      - 408. Daniel O.
        - 514. John M.
        - 515. George E.
      - 409. Solomon
      - 410. Vespasian
      - 411. Simeon C.
      - 412. Rufus E.
    - 231. Rufus
      - 413. Jacob I. ..516. Clarence
      - 413a. Calvin H.
  - 110. William
    - 232. Simeon ..414. Daniel W.
      - 518. Daniel W.
      - 519. William S.
    - 233. William
      - 415. Edwin.
      - 416. Edward T.
      - 417. Alonzo
      - 418. William
  - 111. Asa
  - 112. Jacob
    - 234. David
      - 419. Lewis E.
      - 420. Alonzo H.
      - 421. David
      - 422. Jacob
  - 113. John
    - 235. George
- 48. Timothy

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  - 49. James[5]
  - 50. Samuel ..114. Samuel[6]
    - 236. Octa[7]
    - 237. Hollis
      - 423. Albert[8] ..520. George H.[9]
      - 424. Alfred
      - 425. Walter
      - 426. Andrew
    - 238. Daniel ..427. George A.
  - 51. Nicholas
    - 116. Samuel
      - 239. Jonathan
      - 240. Reuben
        - 428. Abram
        - 429. Myron
    - 117. James
      - 241. Oliver
      - 242. Elias
    - 118. Isaac
      - 243. Nicholas
      - 244. Simon
      - 245. Aaron T. ..430. Hiram D.
        - 521. Loomis Le G.
        - 522. Floyd La M.
      - 246. Jacob
    - 119. Jacob
      - 247. James
      - 248. Jacob
    - 120. Joseph
      - 249. Azel W. ..431. James H.
      - 250. Henry
    - 121. Francis
  - 52. Jonathan
    - 122. Samuel
    - 123. Lyman
    - 124. Cyrus ..251. Challen
    - 125. James
- 10 ..53. William
  - 126. William
    - 252. William
      - 432. Sylvester
        - 524. Joseph P.
        - 525. William V.
        - 526. David J.
      - 433. William B.
      - 434. Jonathan F. ..527. Clarence A.
    - 253. Jonathan
      - 435. William
      - 436. Quincy A.
  - 127. Isaac
    - 254. Isaac E.
    - 255. Joseph B.
      - 437. Joseph B.
      - 438. Charles E.
      - 439. William C.
    - 256. Albert H.
      - 440. Isaac N.
      - 441. Charles B.
    - 256a. Samuel P. ..441a. Samuel P.
  - 128. Jonathan
    - 257. Isaac W.
      - 442. Albert H.
      - 443. William H.
    - 258. Hosley ..444. Lorriston F.
  - 129. Samuel
    - 259. Aro
      - 445. Robert S.
      - 446. Horace P.
    - 260. Isaac C. ..447. Albert P.

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## SECOND GENERATION.

2.

THOMAS, eldest son of Nicholas Danforth, the immigrant, bapt. at Framlingham, Eng., 20 Nov., 1623, came to New England with his father in 1634 and made his home at Cambridge. He was admitted freeman of the colony 10 May, 1643; married 23 (12) 1643, or, as we should say, 23 February, 1643–4, Mary, daughter of ruling elder Henry Withington, of Dorchester, born in England, admitted to the church of Dorchester 28(12)1641. He was called "planter" in a deed of land in 1654, wherein he conveyed to Richard French land, house, etc., inherited from his father, Nicholas Danforth. Was appointed recorder of deeds for Middlesex county at its organization in 1652, and continued in office till 1686; treasurer of Harvard College from 1650 to 1669, and steward from that date till 1682. Elected deputy or representative to the General Court in 1657, he was chosen "assistant" or magistrate in 1659 and remained in that position until he became deputy governor in 1679. The Andros chapter of Massachusetts history interrupted his administration, but again in 1689 he was deputy governor, and continued till 1692. Meantime he had borne important parts in the affairs of Maine; was appointed president of that district, 4 Feb., 1680, and in "the summer following, attended by 60 soldiers, sailed for Casco Bay and assumed his charge." He was discharged from the office by Dudley and his counselors, May 29, 1686. He took a leading part in that very important body, the Commissioners of New England. He also served the town of his residence long years as a selectman and town clerk. He took his seat as one of the judges of the Superior Court* which had to consider the perplexing cases of persons accused of witchcraft, in 1692; "had a chief hand in putting an end to the troubles under which the country groaned; of the 56 indictments true bills were found against 26, and 3 only were found guilty; these were liberated by Gov. Sir William Phipps; and so the delusion came to an end." Gov. Danforth was a man of wealth; lived on what is now called Kirkland street, Cambridge; that part of the college grounds formerly known as the

* In session at Cambridge.

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Rec'd then of Thomas Floyd twenty three shill. money & is in full of his rent due for the year 1694 & say received

By Thos: Danford

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Foxcroft estate was a portion of his land. He also possessed a tract of ten thousand acres at Framingham, which was first called "Danforth's Farms."

His wife died 26 March, 1697. He died 5 Nov., 1699, leaving a will, an abstract of which is here appended.

The will of Mr. Thomas Danforth, made 1 Sept., 1699, probated 16 Nov., 1699, is on file at Cambridge. He bequeathed his estate to his son-in-law Mr. Joseph Whiteing, pastor of the church at South Hampton on Long Island; to kinsman Mr. John Danforth, pastor of the church at Dorchester, and his brother Mr. Samuel Danforth, pastor of the church at "Tanton"; negro man Phillip ffeild to serve Mr. Foxcroft 4 years, and then be "a free man" "and have ten pounds in money and 40 acres of land at Cambridge ffarmes; at his death, if he leave no lawful issue the land to go to ffrancis ffoxcroft; grand children Thomas Phipps and John Whiteing; Solomon Phipps to provide for his lame sister Mary; to brother Jonathan Danforth; to servant Benjamin Bohow; specifies deeds of gift he intends to make to Daniel and Thomas ffoxcroft; to the College 3 tenements at Framingham; to the grammar school at Cambridge; to Dea. James Trowbridge. Grandsons Daniel Champney and Samuel Sparhawke, executors; friends Capt. Andrew Belcher and Dea. James Trowbridge, overseers. [Original not on file; copy in Lib. X, p. 7.]

The Inventory of the Goods etc., of Thomas Danforth, Esquire, late of Cambridge, was taken 14 Nov., 1699, by Maj. Thomas Oliver, John Oldham and Josiah Parker. It appears to be in the handwriting of Francis Foxcroft, who "exhibited" it in court. The household goods were to be divided to the 21 persons who survived him as children and grandchildren; they are specified by Mr. Foxcroft thus: "Sister Phipps" for herself and her children "Thomas, Jonathan and four daughters; Mr. Sparhawk for two; Mr. Champney for three; Sol Phipps for one; Sam Phipps for one; John Whiteing for one; ff. ffoxcroft, six."

Children:

i. SARAH[3], b. 16(2)1645; d. 29(8)1645.

ii. SARAH, b. 11(9)1646; d. 1723; married Rev. Joseph Whiting, of Lynn, afterwards of Southampton, Long Island, son of the Rev. Samuel Whiting, formerly of Skirbeck, near Boston, Eng., second minister of Lynn, and of his wife, Elizabeth St. John, dau. of Right Hon. Oliver and Mrs. Sarah (Bulkley) St. John, of Bedfordshire, Eng. [See Pioneers of Mass.]

Children of Rev. Joseph and Sarah (Danforth) Whiting:

1. *Samuel Whiting*, b. 3 July, 1674.
2. *Joseph Whiting*, b. and d. 1675.
3. *Joseph Whiting*, b. and d. 1677.

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4. *Thomas Whiting*, b. and d. 1678.
5. *Joseph Whiting*, b. and d. 1681.
6. *John Whiting*, b. 20 Jan., 1682; d. 4 May, 1752; m. Mary, dau. of Rev. John Cotton; grandson William Whiting, Esq (1813–1873).*

iii. MARY, b. and d. in (2) April, 1649.

iv. MARY, b. 28(5)1650; m. Solomon Phipps, Jr., of Charlestown, b. about 1649, son of Solomon Phipps, carpenter, and Elizabeth, his wife, early residents and church members of Char. He m. first, Hannah Packard, who d. 1 Feb., 1668. Joined the church with second wife, Mary, 3 April, 1670; freeman 11 May, 1671. He was clerk of courts, representative, etc.; d. 1701; the widow was living in 1725.

Children of Solomon and Mary (Danforth) Phipps:

1. *Solomon Phipps*, b. 15 Jan., 1669; d. same month.
2. *Mary Phipps*, b. 29 Jan., 1670; d. 1721; m. John Walker.
3. *Bethiah Phipps*, b. 3 July, 1671; m. 2 April, 1702, Daniel, son of Daniel and Dorcas Bridge Champney.
4. *Samuel Phipps*, b. 1674.
5. *Solomon Phipps*, b. 10 Jan., 1675; bapt. 10 Feb., 1675; m. Sarah Nowell.
6. *Thomas Phipps*, b. Char., 22 Nov., 1676; (H. C. 1695); d. 1738; m. 4 May, 1699, Eleanor Cutts, of Portsmouth, N. H. Children:
   (1) Eleanor Phipps, b. 11 Aug., 1701.
   (2) Mary Phipps, b. 7 Sept., 1703.
   (3) Danforth Phipps, b. 1711; m. Elizabeth, dau. of John and Elizabeth Skillins, of Black Point, Scarboro, Me. A descendant, Miss Elizabeth Berry Blackstone, of Bangor, Me., has been helpful in gathering records of this branch. Prof. William Phipps Blake (b. New York, 1826) also of this line.
7. *Elizabeth Phipps*, b. 1681, d. 1682.
8. *Jonathan Phipps*, b. and d. 1683.
9. *Elizabeth Phipps*, b. 2 Jan., 1683–4; m. 1705, Hopestill Foster.
10. *Jonathan Phipps*, b. 20 Dec., 1685; mariner; admin. of estate by bro. Solomon 10 Dec., 1705.

* William Whiting (H. U., A.B. 1833; A.M. 1854; LL.B. 1838; LL.D. Colby, 1872; president of the N. E. Hist. Genealogical Society 1853–1858, and a member of many other societies; practised law in Boston. Wrote in 1861 a treatise on War Powers under the Constitution, which passed through forty-three editions in eight years. President Lincoln called him to Washington as an advisor in 1862; in 1863 Congress created the office of Solicitor of the War Department, to which Mr. Whiting was at once appointed. Perhaps he did more than any other individual to make clear the great legal principles involved in the relations of the federal government with States in rebellion. He relinquished a very profitable law practice for a long period and declined all payment for services rendered the government during the war, content that if his counsel at such a time was of any value, the country should remain his debtor. A splendid example! He was elected to the forty-third Congress, but died before it met.

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11. *Sarah Phipps*, b. 13 March, 1687–8; m. (1) Caleb Gardner, Jr., (2) John Winchester.
12. *Abiel Phipps*, bapt. 11 June, 1690; m. Caleb Gardner, the elder.

v. SAMUEL, b. 5(8)1652.

vi. THOMAS, b. by one record 6(10) by another 16 Dec., 1654; was killed in the Swamp fight in the Narragansett war, Dec. 19, 1675.

vii. JONATHAN, b. in the last month of 1656; d. in the second month of 1657.

viii. JONATHAN, b. 10 Feb., bapt. 13, 1658; H. C. 1679; d. of consumption 13 Nov., 1682.

ix. JOSEPH, b. 18 Sept., bapt. 22, 1661; d. 2 Oct., 1663.

x. BENJAMIN, b. 20 May, bapt. 26, d. 23 Aug., 1663.

xi. ELIZABETH, b. 17 Feb., 1665; d. 4 July, 1721; m. 3 Oct., 1682, Francis Foxcroft.

Francis Foxcroft is said, on the authority of ——, to have been son of Daniel Foxcroft, mayor of Leeds, Eng., and born there 13 Nov., 1657. He came to Cambridge, Mass., before 1682, the date of his marriage. He resided in Boston at the time of the birth of his dau. Martha, in 1688, certainly, and was still there at the birth of Samuel in 1700. Meantime he comes into public records only in the way of discharging a mortgage for Charles Lidgett, of Boston, for whom he acted as attorney, 27 Jan., 1692–3. [Suff. Deeds, XI, 326]. After the death of his wife's father he purchased the rights of the other heirs in the Danforth homestead and resided there. He is mentioned in Proprietors' Records of Cambridge, first in 1704, and thence forward "Col. Francis Foxcroft," and "Francis Foxcroft, Esquire" occur frequently. He was a man of wealth and energy; justice of the peace under Andros, and bore heavy obloquy at his fall, being imprisoned as an upholder of a bad ruler. But he was afterward made judge of the Court of Common Pleas and of Probate, and had large influence. "Greatly extolled as a man and Christian."

Children of Francis and Elizabeth (Danforth) Foxcroft:

1. *Elizabeth Foxcroft*, b. date unknown, m. 15 May, 1701, Christopher Bridge.
2. *Daniel Foxcroft*, b. about 1686, register of Probate 1710–1714; served in the expedition against Canada 1711; rem. about 1723 to Yorkshire, Eng., and about 1730 to Plaistow, Sussex, Eng., where he died unm. 1741. His bro. Francis admin. on his estate.
3. *Martha Foxcroft*, b. in Boston, 26 March, 1688; d. 14 April, 1736; m. 28 June, 1716, Benjamin Gerrish, of Boston.
4. *Francis Foxcroft*, Jr., b. 26 Jan., 1694; H. C. 1712; m. 5 Nov., 1722 (by Rev. Thomas Foxcroft) Mehetabel Coney, dau. of John and Mary (Clark) Coney,

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of Boston, bapt. 16 Jan., 1698; merchant; register of Probate, Middlesex co. 12 years; reg. of Deeds 45 years; first justice of Court of Sessions 27 years. He d. 28 March, 1768. Children:

(1) Mehitabel Foxcroft, b. 19 Aug., 1723.
(2) Francis Foxcroft, b. 11 Aug., 1725; d. 1732.
(3) Daniel Foxcroft, b. 11 April, 1726; H. C. 1746; d. 3 Jan., 1756, unm.
(4) Elizabeth Foxcroft, b. 27 March, 1729; d. 6 April, 1757; m. (Int. Boston 13 Dec., 1749) Benjamin Brandon.
(5) Thomas Foxcroft, b. 18 Jan., 1731; d. 1785.
(6) Martha Foxcroft, b. 29 Jan., 1733; d. 1736.
(7) Francis Foxcroft, b. 15 June, 1735; d. 24 May, 1736.
(8) George Foxcroft, b. 31 May, 1736; d. 1739.
(9) Katharine Foxcroft, b. 20 April, 1737; d. 1738.
(10) William Foxcroft, b. 10 April, 1738, d. 1740.
(11) Layton Foxcroft, b. 10 March, 1739; d. 11 April, 1755.
(12) John Foxcroft, b. 26 March, 1740; d. 23 Dec., 1802; H. C. 1758; no children; m. Sarah Whitworth; she d. 2 July, 1800, æ. 53.
(13) George Foxcroft, b. 4 July, 1741; d. 1 May, 1748.
(14) Phebe Foxcroft, b. 12 Aug., 1743; d. 1812; m. Hon. Samuel Phillips, Jr. Mr. Phillips, born 7 Feb., 1752, graduated from Harvard College in 1771, honored with the degree of LL.D., in 1793, was a member of the Provincial Congress; a state senator after the Revolution; judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and a man of extensive business interests. But the greatest achievement of his life was the planning and founding of Phillips Academy in his native town of Andover, in which he had the (secondary) coöperation of his father and his uncle John, the latter being founder of Phillips Academy at Exeter, N. H. His widow and son gave Phillips Hall and other gifts to Andover Theological Seminary. Their daughter Mary Ann Phillips was the mother of the eminent Rev. Phillips Brooks, D.D., Bishop of Mass.
(15) Francis Foxcroft, b. 15 Nov., 1744; d. 1814.

5. *Thomas Foxcroft*, b. 26 Feb., 1696; d. 16 June, 1769; H. C. 1714; ordained colleague pastor of First church, Boston, 1717; eminent for scholarship. He m. 9 March, 1718–9, Anna, dau. of John Cony, goldsmith,

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b. 23 Jan., 1696; eulogized at her funeral by Rev. Dr. Chauncy. Children:

(1) Thomas Foxcroft, b. 3 Jan., 1719.
(2) Elizabeth Foxcroft, b. 22 Sept., 1721.
(3) Mary Foxcroft, b. 4 Sept., 1724.
(4) Martha Foxcroft, b. 5 Aug., 1726.
(5) Sarah Foxcroft, b. 13 May, 1728.
(6) Abigail Foxcroft, b. 29 Sept., 1730.
(7) Thomas Foxcroft, b. 31 May, 1732.
(8) Katherine Foxcroft, b. 21 July, 1734.
(9) Samuel Foxcroft, b. about 1735; H. C. 1754; died at N. Gloucester, Me., 2 March, 1807.
(10) Anna Foxcroft, m. Rev. Daniel Rogers, of Exeter, N. H.

"Rev. Daniel Rogers of Exeter, and Mrs. Anna Foxcroft" filed their Intention of marriage in Boston, 28 Sept., 1748.

6. *Samuel Foxcroft*, b. in Boston, "of Francis and Elizabeth," 5 June, 1700.

xii.* BETHIA, bapt. 16 June, 1667; d. 21 Sept., 1668.

3.

REV. SAMUEL, second son of Nicholas Danforth, the immigrant, was baptized at Framlingham, Eng., Oct. 17, 1626; came to Cambridge with his father in 1632; was a member of the second class graduated from Harvard College, that of 1643. According to Cotton Mather (see quotation in the article on his father), he was destined for the ministry in accordance with the expressed desire of his mother, who died when he was but three years old. The same authority gives us the interesting piece of history that he was brought up under the special care of the Cambridge minister, Rev. Thomas Shepard. He was particularly distinguished for the fervor of his piety, and the purity of his life. He was ordained assistant to the noble "Apostle to the Indians," Rev. John Eliot, of Roxbury, 24 Sept., 1650, and continued in office there till his death, 19 Nov., 1674. Of his death his venerable senior pastor wrote: "1674, 12 (9) My bro. Danforth dyed in the Lord. It pleased the Lord to brighten his passage to glory. He greatly increased in the power of his ministry, especially the last summer. He cordially joined w^th^ me in maintaining the peace of the church. We consulted about beautifying the house of God w^th^ ruling elders, and to order the congregation into the primitive way of Collections." He adds that his funeral was "celebrated w^th^ a great confluence."

* Beside these children of Thomas[2] Danforth recorded at Cambridge, mention must be made of two entries at Dorchester. "Mehitophel the Daughter of Thomas Damfor Died 18 of (8 mo.) 1663"; and "John, son of Thomas Damfort was born in Dorchester, the 20 of the (8 mo.) 1664." These on investigation prove to be the clerk's careless spellings of *Davenport*, as baptismal records attest.

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In the regular records of deaths the cause of death is called "putrid fever." *

Mr. Danforth was an astronomer, and made almanacs, some of which were extant in the days of the historian Farmer, who says he had seen them. In the church records he made quite a complete journal of notable events which came under his notice; among the items the following attest to his scientific habit:

"1652, 9th, 10m. There appeared a comet in the heaven in Orion, which continued its course toward the zenith for ye space of a fortnight, till Mr. Cotton's death." "1672.12, 6m. A great eclipse of ye sun, wch at ye eastward was total and central, inasmuch that ye stars appeared about ye Sun."

Rev. Samuel Danforth bought the following tracts of land. The first he purchased from Anthony Stoddard, of Boston, and Christian, his wife, widow of Capt. Joseph Weld, of Roxbury; it is thus described: "One Messuage or Tennemt Scittuate Lying and being within the Lymitts of the above named Towne Conteyneing one dwelling house barne and out houses with Garden and Orchard, and about two Accrs of Land, more or lesse on the west Syde thereof, and is bounded with mr Isacke Heath on the South, mr Edward Denison on the north and Thomas Lambe on the West, Also fifteene Accrs of Marsh and upland, being bounded with mr Thomas Weld on the West the high way Leading to gravelly point on the East Thomas Lambe South, and upon the Marshes of John Polly and John Watson North."

The second tract he purchased of Rev. John Allen, pastor of the church of Dedham, and Katherine, his wife, widow of Samuel Hagbourne, for forty five pounds. "All that part and parcell of Land Lying & being within the bounds of Roxberry aforesaid, being part of the home lott of the above mentioned Samuell Hagborne deceased, by Estimacon about Seven Accors more or lesse, and is part thereof Swampy Meadow and part thereof upland, & bounded by the high way annent Roxberry burying place on the East, and the Land Sometime appertaineing unto Leiut Joshua Hewes on the west the high way, & Henry ffarneham on the North, and the Land of Deacon William Parkes on the South."

The third he bought of Henry Farnam who had bought it of Mr. Hagbourne's son.—His "orchard yards & Gardens in Roxbury . on which an Auncient dwelling house & barne Stood wch was lately Consumed by fier since It Came into the possession of the said farnam all which Said orchard yards & Garden being an acre of Ground more or lesse is bounded wth the Ground of the said Samuell Dan-

* His remains were deposited in the tomb of Governor Dudley in the old cemetery, corner of Washington and Eustis Streets, Roxbury, the parish tomb not having then been built. His children were laid in graves in same cemetery, their gravestones still to be seen (1901).

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forth on the East & South and with the Country high way North & west." [Suff. Deeds III, pp. 106, 303 and 317.]

He married 5 Nov. 1651, Mary, daughter of Rev. John Wilson, pastor of the First church of Boston, and of his wife Elizabeth, dau. of Sir John Mansfield; she was born in Boston, 12th and bapt. 13th of Sept. 1633; received to the church by her father 19 (9) 1648.

"The last Will & Testament of Samuel Danforth, Pastor of the church of Christ, of Roxbury, aged ab$^{t}$ 48 years," is on file in Boston, clearly written by the good man. He bequeaths his whole estate to his wife for her maintenance and the support and education of his children during their minority; books to sons John and Samuel, except such as wife owns or may select; to maid Hannah Dearing and to Sarah Parker; conditional bequest to brother Mr. John Wilson and kinsman Samuel Danforth, son of brother Thomas; wife executrix; Joseph Dudley and Thomas Weld with his two brothers, overseers. "19.4. 74," probated upon the testimony of the witnesses, Thomas Danforth and John Wilson, although not signed "Xber. 24, 1674," *i. e.*, December 24, 1674.

The widow married second (date not found) Mr. Joseph Rock, of Boston. In a deed of land which had belonged to her father, Rev. John Wilson, dated 3 Oct., 1693, to her son, Rev. John Danforth, of Dorchester, she refers to a "Quadripartite Indenture," between herself, her husband, Mr. Rock, and her sons and daughters, on the subject of lands, etc., the date of which was 20 Nov., 1689. [Suff. Deeds, XVI., 251]. She died 13 Sept. 1731.

Children:

i. SAMUEL,[8] "Borne Moneth 11, day 14, 1652, about 9 o'clock at night and baptised at Boston upon y$^{e}$ Sabbath following, which was y$^{e}$ 16 day of January"; died "moneth 5, day 22."

ii. MARY, borne "y$^{e}$ 24 day of May, 1654; baptised moneth 3$^{d}$, day 28."

iii. ELIZABETH, "was borne moneth 5, day 13, 1656, being y$^{e}$ Sabbath day, about 6 at night & was baptized y$^{e}$ Lords day following, viz., y$^{e}$ 20$^{th}$ of July."

iv. SARAH, "borne y$^{e}$ 30$^{th}$ of 8$^{m}$. 1658, about 4 in y$^{e}$ morning; baptized moneth 9, day 7."

These three children died in the tenth month [Dec.] of the year 1659, "in y$^{e}$ faith," says the recorder.

5. v. JOHN, borne "8$^{th}$ day moneth 9$^{th}$, about 5 at night; baptized day 11."

vi. MARY, "borne y$^{e}$ 13 day moneth 1, 1662–3, about 5 at night; baptized day 15." She married 4 June, 1683, Edward Bromfield, of Boston; b. 10 Jan. 1649; died 7 June, 1734.

From this couple an honorable posterity sprang, both in the Bromfield name and through the daughters. One of the most

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eminent of the descendants of Nicholas Danforth through this line was Hon. Josiah Quincy, Jr., born 4 Feb., 1772, died in 1864 (son of the distinguished pre-Revolutionary patriot, Josiah Quincy, by his wife, Abigail, daughter of Hon. William and Abigail (Bromfield) Phillips). He was a member of Congress early in the century and a leading advocate in that body and everywhere of the abolition of slavery and the amelioration of the condition of all oppressed and degraded. H. C., 1790. Mayor of Boston, 1823–29. President of Harvard University, 1829–45. It is the belief of the writer that the town and city of Boston owed more to him than to any other man that has lived in it. His statue in bronze stands in front of the City Hall.

Children of Edward and Mary (Danforth) Bromfield:

1. *Edward Bromfield*, b. 7 May, 1686.
2. *Mary Bromfield*, b. 27 Aug., 1687.
3. *Mary Bromfield*, b. 2 June, 1689.
4. *Thomas Bromfield*, b. 2 Sept., 1690.
5. *Sarah Bromfield*, b. 11 Oct., 1692.
6. *Frances Bromfield*, b. 8 June, 1694; m. 13 April, 1715, Rev. John Webb, pastor of the New North church.
7. *Edward Bromfield*, b. 5 Nov., 1695; d. 10 April, 1756; m. 21 Feb., 1722, Abigail Coney, and had ten children.
8. *Thomas Bromfield*, b. 25 July, 1698.
9. *Henry Bromfield*, b. 13 March, 1700.

vii. ELIZABETH, born "about 9 in y^e^ morning, and baptised on y^e^ Lord's day following, moneth 12, day 9, 1664–5. She died "of a putrid fever & was buried on y^e^ 28 day of 8^ber^, 1672."

6. viii. SAMUEL, "born y^e^ 18 day of y^e^ 10 month, 1666, about 1 in y^e^ morning, and baptised the 30^th^ of 10 m."

ix. SARAH, "born y^e^ 21 of 12^m^, 1669–1670; baptized moneth 12, day 27."

x. THOMAS, born "on y^e^ 3^d^ day of 2^m^, 1672, being Weddensday in y^e^ evening; baptized the seventh and died about noon on y^e^ 13^th^."

xi. ELIZABETH, "born on y^e^ 16^th^ day, moneth 8, 1673, being y^e^ 5^th^ day of y^e^ week, about 11 o'clock in y^e^ morning." She "died on y^e^ 30^th^ day, being a fortnight old, on y^e^ 5^th^ day of y^e^ week about 3 in y^e^ afternoon."

xii. ABIEL, "born after her father's decease, Moneth 11, day 31, 1674"; married in Boston April 12, 1694, Thomas Fitch.

Children of Thomas and Abiel (Danforth) Fitch:

1. *Mary Fitch*; d. 11 May, 1695.
2. *Thomas Fitch*, b. 21 Sept., 1697.
3. *Samuel Fitch*, b. 31 Aug. 1703.
4. *Martha Fitch*, b. 25 Sept., 1704.
5. *Mary Fitch*, b. 28 Oct., 1706.
6. *John Fitch*, b. 19 Oct. 1709.

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CAPTAIN JONATHAN[2], youngest son of Mr. Nicholas Danforth, the immigrant, was born in Framlingham, England, baptized March 2, 1627–8. As a child he came with his father and brothers and sisters to Cambridge and was there brought up. When he reached manhood the community was stirred with the plans for building up a new town, Billerica, whose lands were chiefly owned by Cambridge people. At a very early stage of the movement he seems to have become interested in it, and he gave to the enterprise his best planning and executive ability. The house he built and occupied was extant till 1878. See picture.

He was selectman, town clerk, representative, captain of the militia company. He became a land surveyor and laid out farms, towns, highways; was called to do this service to several other towns and counties; transacted a large amount of business in town and state. "His descriptions fill 200 pages, in his clear, handsome writing in the Billerica volume of Land Grants." [Hazen].

Jonathan Danforth Sen. "aged 82 years" made his will 23 April, 1712, signing it in definite though trembling letters; it was probated 27 Oct., 1712. In it he bequeathed to his wife Esther and his seven children, giving a double portion, according to the custom of the day, to the eldest son; something to his grandchildren, Mary Parker and Samuel Danforth, who lived with him. Sons Jonathan and Samuel and son-in-law Oliver Whiting, executors. An agreement was made between his heirs, 1 Jan., 1713, signed by Oliver and Anna Whiting, William and Sarah French, Thomas Danforth, administrator, Mary Parker, Simeon and Elizabeth Hayward, and Edward Wright. A list of the lands he deeded to his children during his life, with a valuation of the same, is in the probate papers. In the inventory of his estate he is called "Captain Jonathan Danforth, Gent$^{m}$."

Many of his plots are preserved in the State Archives.

He married first, in Boston, "22$^{nd}$–9$^{th}$ month, 1654," "Elizabeth Powter, the daughter of Good. Powter deceased, of Billerikey;" recorded also in Billerica. The bride's father was John Poulter, who came from Rayleigh, Eng., about 1651, with wife Mary and children John and Elizabeth. He died soon; the widow married second, John Parker of Woburn, and third, on the 16th of April, 1674, Thomas Chamberlain of Chelmsford. It has been stated that Elizabeth was born in Rayleigh, 1 Sept., 1633. She died in Billerica, 7 Oct., 1689. Captain Danforth married second, 17 Nov., 1690, Esther, dau. of elder Richard Champney of Cambridge, and widow of Josiah Converse of Woburn; she died soon after her

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husband, viz., 5 April, 1713. His grave is in the old cemetery, Billerica, marked by a slab on which the letters are quite distinct (1901); the graves of his two wives, on either side of his, are marked in like manner. A more suitable memorial will probably soon be erected.

Children:

i. MARY,[8] b. 29 Jan., 1656; m. 4 June, 1678, John Parker of Chelmsford, b. 30 Oct., 1647; d. 14 April, 1699.

ii. ELIZABETH, b. 27 May, 1657; m. 7 March, 1687, Simeon Hayward [name often spelled Heywood, but signed Hayward], of Concord.

Children of Simeon and Elizabeth (Danforth) Hayward:

1. *Elizabeth Hayward*, b. 28 Feb., 1689.
2. *Jonathan Hayward*, b. 16 Nov., 1690.
3. *Simeon Hayward*, b. 24 April, 1693; m. 23 Oct., 1705, Rebecca Hartwell of Concord. Child, Simeon Hayward, b. 17 April, 1717, m. 13 March, 1744, Sarah Hosmer of Concord.
4. *Mary Hayward*, b. 19 March, 1696.

7. iii. JONATHAN, b. 18 Feb., 1659.

iv. JOHN, b. 23 Jan., d. 7 Feb., 1660–1.

v. JOHN, b. 22 Feb., d. 4 June, 1661–2.

vi. LYDIA, b. 1 June, 1664; m. Edward Wright of Concord.

8. vii. SAMUEL, b. 5 Feb., 1665–6.

viii. ANNA, b. 8 March, 1667–8; m. 22 Jan., 1689–90, Ensign Oliver Whiting, b. 8 Oct., 1665, d. 22 Dec., 1736. She d. 13 Aug., 1737.

Children of Oliver and Anna (Danforth) Whiting:

1. *Oliver Whiting*, Jr., b. 29 March, 1691.
2. *Dorcas Whiting*, b. 31 March, 1693; died 23 Dec., 1765; m. Dea. Josiah Abbot.
3. *Mary Whiting*, b. 4 May, 1695; d. 6 Aug., 1701.
4. *John Whiting*, b. 11 Nov., d. 17 Dec., 1697.
5. *John Whiting*, b. 14 Oct., 1699; m. (1) Sarah Hunt, (2) Anne ——.
6. *Samuel Whiting*, b. 6 Sept., 1702; d. 4 Nov., 1772; m. (1) Deborah Hill, m. (2) Eliz. Winchester.
7. *Anna Whiting*, b. 15 April, 1705; d. 26 March, 1749; m. June, 1729, William Stickney.
8. *Eleazer Whiting*, b. 12 Feb., 1712; m. 1736, Dorothy Crosby; d. 14 Feb., 1738.

ix. THOMAS, born 29 April, died 31 July, 1670.

x. NICHOLAS, born 1 July, 1671; died 8 March, 1694.

xi. SARAH, born 23 Dec., 1676; married first, 22 May, 1695, William French; died 15 Oct., 1751; married second, 10 June, 1729, Ebenezer Davis of Concord.

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Children of William and Sarah (Danforth) French:

1. *Jacob French*, b. 16 May, 1696; d. 7 March, 1775; m. first, 29 May, 1722, Elizabeth, dau. of Joseph Davis; she d. 3 Feb., 1738; he m. (2) Sarah, dau. of George Brown; she d. 16 Aug., 1765; he m. (3) 19 Nov., 1766, Mrs. Mary Curtis of Dracut, who d. 19 Sept., 1769.
2. *Joseph French*, b. 26 Jan., d. 13 Feb., 1698.
3. *Sarah French*, b. 29 Dec., 1698; m. Nathaniel Whittemore; d. 15 Aug., 1734.
4. *William French*, b. 25 Jan., 1701; m. 22 Jan., 1727, Joanna Hill; d. 9 April, 1776.
5. *Jonathan French*, b. 25 Jan., 1703; d. 9 March, 1728.
6. *Elizabeth French*, b. 3 April, 1705; m. 3 Feb., 1730, Josiah Crosby; d. 27 Nov., 1739.
7. *Ebenezer French*, b. 5 Aug., 1707; m. 27 Aug., 1729, Elizabeth Hill; d. 31 Dec., 1791.
8. *Mary French*, b. 7 Oct., 1709; m. Benjamin Manning.
9. *Nicholas French*, b. 5 Sept., 1711.
10. *Lydia French*, b. 26 April, 1714; d. 2 Aug., 1731.
11. *Esther French*, b. 16 May, 1716; d. 7 July, 1736.
12. *Samuel French*, b. 21 May, 1718; m. 7 July, 1743, Elizabeth Barron.

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## THIRD GENERATION.

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5.

REV. JOHN[3] (*Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Roxbury "8th day, moneth 9, (8 November,) 1660, was bapt. on his third day. Grad. H. C. 1677, and was made a fellow of the college. Was ordained over the church of Dorchester, as colleague to Rev. Josiah Flint, 28 June, 1682," and preached on that text 2 Kings. 2.14. "where is y^e Lord God of Elijah." [Dorch. Chh. Rec.] In that place he spent the rest of his life, performing the full duties of the parish forty-seven years; and 5 Nov., 1727, he heartily joined with a council of churches and ministers in ordaining Rev. Jonathan Bowman as a colleague. With his own hand he wrote the reports of meetings and ordination, adding: "Sit Gloria Deo in Xto, Nunc, & in æternum."

He died the following spring,—26 May, 1730. The church voted that "forty pounds be allowed out of the church stock towards the funeral, . . as also twenty pounds to procure mourning for the surviving pastor."

An obituary notice in the N. E. Journal printed soon after Mr. Danforth's death, says of him:

"He was one greatly qualified by many bright accomplishments for the evangelical ministry; eminently a man of God, a man of prayer, a close and profitable preacher, of sound principles; a pattern of all the virtues of the Christian life, and zealous for the cause of God among us; greatly beloved and valued while living, and now lamented at his death. His memory will always be precious to those who have had the honour and pleasure of his acquaintance."

Mr. Danforth was generous; in 1691 he voluntarily relinquished to the town 20 pounds due to him on his (small) salary, "considering the frowns of providence upon his people here," *i.e.* the extremely hard times through which they were passing.

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Blake, the Annalist, wrote thus: "1730, May 26th, died ye Revd. Mr. John Danforth, who had been Pastour of this church about 48 years; in ye 70th year of his age. He was sd. to be a man of great Learning, he understood ye Mathematicks beyond most men of his function. He was exceedingly charitable, & of a very peaceful temper. He took much pains to eternize ye names of many of ye good Christians of his own Flock; And yet the world is so ungratefull, that he has not a line Written to preserve his memory, no, not so much as upon his Tomb; he being buried in Lt. Govr. Stoughton's Tomb that was covered with writing before. And there also lyeth his Consort Mrs. Elizabeth Danforth." Mr. Danforth was married 21 Nov., 1682, at Dorchester, by "the Worshipfull Increase Nowell" to Elizabeth, daughter of James and Hannah (Stoughton) Minot, bapt. 27(10)1663–4; she died 6 July, 1722, "about the 59th year of her age."

Letter of Rev. John Danforth to some Massachusetts friend—apparently a student, in England; printed in the Winthrop Papers, Mass. Hist. Soc. Coll. 5th Series, vol. 1, page 447.:

DORCHESTER, June 22, 1698.

"Worthy and Dear Sir;

. . . . . And before I close if it were not too great a piece of arrogance, I could be willing to improve your friendship and privacy in one case that concerns our family only. . . The case is this—We often seal with a single ey humane in a plain field Argent, only there is a Diamond at ye bottom of ye field. Now for my own part I know nothing but præscription and custom to plead for our use of it ('Tis true that King Charles ye First twice sent for my Grandfather Danforth, offering him ye honor of knighthood, but he, presenting a considerable sume of money made atonement for his refusal before he left ye nation and came over hither)

Now if there be any danger in sealing with what we know not certainly is our right we should desire to know it. If any old record recognises [this] to be our right, 'twould also be a satisfaction to be informed; or if a guinea or 2 might procure a renewed recognition or a new grant.

As I have communicated this piece of my simplicity to none on this side of the Atlantick, so I have confidence in yor. secrecy, and that you will pleasure me with yor prudent information and friendly advice." . . .

Your hearty friend and servant,
JOHN DANFORTH."

This letter reveals to us these facts: first, that a prominent member of the Danforth family in Massachusetts was in the habit of sealing part of his documents with a seal which had come to him from other members of the family; "We often seal." Second, that he doubted whether the family had a clear right to use it. Third,

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that he believed that his grandfather was of such standing in England as to possess such right; and he refers to the offer of knighthood as a proof of such standing. Meantime he fears that his use of it may be questioned by authority,—the College of Arms, presumably, and wishes this friend to probe the matter. But he is not above a readiness to pay a proper fee to the official for a piece of evidence which may he available here; even standing ready to accept an entirely "new grant" of crest and arms; which would cover all points of the case.

The lateness of this letter is against its value in a heraldic way; 1698 was a long time after the settlers came hither; and a grandson is not good authority even to-day about the social standing of his grandfather, in many instances. This letter is worthy of preservation and its contents may blend with other evidence at some future time in establishing the facts about the position of the Danforth family in Framlingham before Nicholas and his children made their way to this shore in 1634.

The will of Rev. John Danforth was made 7 Sept., 1727, probated 22 Jan., 1730. Sons Elijah Danforth, Esq., and Mr. Samuel Danforth executors; bequests to them and to his daughter Elizabeth, present wife of Mr. Wm. Lowder, and her son John Lowder; to her husband Capt. William L.; to sons John and Stoughton D. and their several heirs; to grand daughter Elizabeth, daughter of his late son Capt. Thomas Danforth an obligation which her father entered into to pay a certain sum of money; "The rest of my Estate (Except my lands in England which belong by Entaile from my Grandfather Danforth to my Eldest Son) . . to be Divided to my heirs." Before the final settlement of the estate John had died. So, 4 Dec., 1733, the executors craved allowance, among other items "for the heirs of their brother John Danforth, Decd., and for the like sum for the Heirs of their brother Tho: Danforth, Deced. due to them from the Estate, being Legacies given them by the Last Will and Testament of their uncle the Hon^ble^ W^m^ Stoughton, Esq^r^. Decd." In the division of the real estate after the death of their mother, 4 Dec., 1733, a lot of woodland was set off "to the heirs of Thomas Danforth." This was sold later by the daughter and her husband. See 15, Thomas, on a later page.

Children:

i. ELIJAH, b. 30 Nov., bapt. 2 Dec., 1683; grad. H. C. 1703, having been supported there by a bequest from his honored relative, Gov. Stoughton. Taught school in Dorchester; studied and practised medicine; Blake calls him "a safe physician"; town assessor and county justice; died unmarried 8 Oct., 1736, bequeathing a silver tankard to the church for use at the Communion. He also bequeathed to his "cousin or niece Elizabeth,

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the daughter of my brother Thomas Danforth, late of Paramaribo in Surinam, my silver spoon marked T. D. 85."

9. ii. THOMAS, b. 3 or 4 Nov., 1685.
iii. ISRAEL STOUGHTON, b. 14 Oct., 1687; d. 25 March, 1688.
iv. JOHN, b. 26 Jan., 1688–9; d. 2 March, 1728–9. Gravestone.
v. ELIZABETH, b. 12 Feb., 1692–3; m. 1 Jan., 1718–9, Capt. William Lowder, of Boston.

Children of William and Elizabeth (Danforth) Lowder:

1. *Elizabeth Lowder*, b. in Boston 13 Aug., 1720.
2. *John Lowder*, b. in Boston and rec. also at Dorch., 9 Jan., 1720–1.
3. *Henry Lowder*, b. in Boston 24 March, 1728.

Capt. Lowder died, and Elizabeth married second, 14 Dec., 1738, Capt. Stephen Williams, of Roxbury.

10. vi. SAMUEL, b. 12 Nov., 1696.
vii. HANNAH, b. 3 Nov., 1698; d. 1 Sept., 1746; m. 22 Oct., 1729, Rev. Samuel Dunbar, of Stoughton, the ceremony being performed by the bride's father. Mr. Dunbar was "a pupil in the Latin school of Boston at seven years of age; grad. Harv. Coll. 1723; sub-teacher in Latin Sch. while fitting himself for the ministry; was ordained over the church in that part of Stoughton now Canton, in 1727. A classical scholar, very studious and diligent; composed with ease and elegance; used a stenographic method of his own invention. During his long ministry he wrote more than 8000 sermons; officiated at 682 funerals, 596 marriages and 1703 baptisms, and admitted 482 to the church." After the death of his first wife (whose gravestone may be seen at Canton), he m. second, at Dedham, 16 April, 1747, Mrs. Experience Woodward.

Children of Rev. Samuel and Hannah (Danforth) Dunbar:

1. *Samuel Dunbar*, b. 25 April, 1731; d. March, 1732.
2. *Hannah Dunbar*, b. 15 July, 1733; d. Feb. 1734.
3. *John Danforth Dunbar*, b. and d. in 1737.
4. *Mehetabel Dunbar*, b. 11 March, 1739; m. 8 Sept., 1762, John Searle.
5. *Elijah Dunbar*, b. 24 Aug., 1740; d. Oct., 1814; m. 29 Dec., 1762, Sarah Hunt. He was a man of affairs, elected repeatedly to the General Court, influential in town matters, and active in church affairs. Grad. Harv. Coll. 1760. In 1782 he surveyed and sold the Danforth lands in the towns of Oxford and Charlton.

Children:

(1) Mercy Dunbar, b. 20 Nov., 1763; d. 3 March, 1795; m. John Spurr.
(2) Samuel Dunbar, b. 8 Dec., 1765; d. 1817; m. Sarah Davenport.
(3) John Danforth Dunbar, b. 24 Jan., 1768; d. 21 Feb., 1811; H. C. 1788; m. Nancy Crombie, of Plymouth. He was a lawyer.

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(4) Sarah Dunbar, b. Nov., 1769, d. July, 1773.
(5) Elijah Dunbar, b. 7 July, 1773; H. C. 1796; tutor at Williams College; minister at Peterboro, N. H.; m. Nancy, dau. of Rev. Wm. Peabody, of Milford, N. H. He d. 3 Sept., 1850.
(6) Thomas Dunbar, b. 26 July, 1775; d. 8 Dec., 1855; m. Chloe Bent, and had twelve children, of whom Nathaniel, the eldest, became a prominent manufacturer of pianos and piano keys, dying 11 July, 1883, greatly respected.
(7) Dorothy Dunbar, b. 3 Feb., 1778; d. 21 April, 1807.
(8) William Dunbar, b. 15 Aug., 1780; d. 6 May, 1848.
(9) Hannah Dunbar, b. 11 Aug., 1784; d. June, 1826.
(10) James Dunbar, b. 3 Feb., 1787; d. 19 April, 1867; president of the Neponset Bank of Canton; a man of influence, much in town office.

viii. MARY, } b. 5 Aug., 1700; { d. 4 June, 1701.
ix. MEHITABEL, } { d. 1 May, 1727.
x. STOUGHTON, b. 24 July, 1702; d. 26 Nov., 1735.
xi. GEORGE, b. 11, d. 17 Nov., 1704.

6.

REV. SAMUEL[3] (*Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Roxbury, 18 Dec., 1666; grad. Harv. Coll. 1683; married Hannah, daughter of Rev. James Allen, pastor of the First church of Boston, 1668–1710. The following account of the wedding is recorded by Judge Sewall in his Diary: "Thursday Oct. 4 [1688]. About 5 P. M. Mr. Willard married Mr. Samuel Danforth and Mrs. Hannah Allen. Mr. Morton [Norton?] began with prayer before Mr. Willard came. . . . . I was at Mr. Danforths wedding being invited by the father." The bride was born 22 July, 1668; died 3 Dec., 1761. Mr. Danforth was ordained 1688 pastor of the church of Taunton, and gave his life to the welfare of that town in a long and compact service. He was not only religious teacher but he also practised medicine and acted as a lawyer in certain cases; and further taught school for the parish sometimes.

He died 14 Nov., 1727.

Will of Samuel Danforth of Taunton, clerk, dated 5 May, 1725, prob. 21 Nov., 1727. He confirmed a deed of his fulling mill, die house and Comb shop to his son Samuel; mentions dau. Elizabeth, late deceased, wife of Mr. John Walley, of Boston; dau. Sarah,

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wife of Mr. William Downes, of Boston; dau. Mary, wife of Jacob Barney; daus. Hannah, Bethia, Rachel and Katherine Danforth; sons James and Thomas Danforth; father in law Mr. James Allen, deceased. Speaks of his grist mill and malt house.

Will of Hannah Danforth, widow, relict of the Rev. Samuel Danforth, late of Taunton, dated 26 Feb., 1745, prob. 24 Dec., 1761: "I give my gold ring that I had at Madam Osborn's funeral to my dau. Sarah Down; to my two daus. viz. Marah & Bethiah my two other gold rings; to my gchild Susannah Hodges one of my silver spoons"; divides her wearing apparell between her four daus. Sarah, Mary, Bethiah and Katherine; excepting her "Calico gown that I had of Madam Osborn, which, with my neeklace, I give to my dau. Katherine"; to sons Samuel and Thomas Danforth and grandson James Danforth 5 pounds each, and smaller amounts to the others; refers to the bond Ephraim Hodges gave her; "a puter plate" to each of the daughters and "my silver porringer." Codicil added 17 May, 1750, mentioned in addition her daughter Cobb and granddaughter Abigail Danforth, and the three daus. of her dau. Katherine, namely Susannah, Martha and Rachel. In an enfeebled state of body and mind which came upon the widow, her son in law Samuel Down, of Boston, gentleman, was appointed to look after matters 26 May, 1758. The son Thomas Danforth, "brazier," Norwich, Conn., was appointed administrator of her estate, Sept. 27, 1768, and later Job Smith, the husband of Hannah Barney, a granddaughter, succeeded to the trust.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[4] b. 29 July, 1689; d. 28 Nov., 1721; m. 30 April, 1713, John Walley, of Boston.

ii. MARY, } b. 1 June, d. 3 and 20 June, 1691.
iii. SAMUEL, }

11. iv. JAMES, b. 11 Nov., 1692.

v. SARAH, b. 18 Nov., 1694; m. 4 July, 1717, William Down (Downes) of Boston.

Children of William and Sarah Down:—

(1) William Down, b. 16 May, 1719.
(2) Samuel Down, b. 14 Oct., 1721.
(3) Sarah Down, b. 25 Sept., 1724.
(4) Thomas Down, b. 23 Jan., 1726.
(5) Mary Down, b. 25 Jan., 1728.
(6) John Down, b. 2 Sept., 1732.
(7) Sarah Down, b. 10 Sept., 1734.

12. vi. SAMUEL, b. 4 Jan., 1697.

vii. MARY, b. 5 Dec., 1698; m. first, Jacob Barney, of Taunton. He was a descendant (probably a grandson) of Jacob Barney, who settled at Salem, in 1634, and was rep. to Gen. Court in 1635

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and 1647, who opposed the harsh measures taken against those who petitioned for freer franchise; removed to Rehoboth. Child of Jacob and Mary (Danforth) Barney,

*Hannah Barney*, m. 18 Nov., 1742, Job, son of John and Mary (Godfrey) Smith, a Capt. in the Louisburg army; commission extant in possession of family.

Children of Job and Hannah (Barney) Smith:

(1) Job Smith, d. in the army in Aug., 1780; m. 8 Sept., 1774, Sarah Padelford.
(2) Mary Smith, b. 1743; d. March, 1800; m. Ephraim Keith of Bridgewater.
(3) Abial, d. 1816; m. 1814, Lydia Otis, of Scituate.
(4) Eben; m. —— Stetson.
(5) Hannah Barney Smith; m. Stephen Fales.
(6) Lucinda Smith; m. Capt. Thomas Harris, of Charlestown.
(7) Stephen Smith; d. unm.
(8) John Wilson Smith, b. in Taunton, 1759; d. in Cambridge, 23 April, 1806; m. Oct., 1781, Susan, dau. of Judge Nicholas and Ruth (Phillips) (Edwards) Tillinghast, b. in Providence, R. I., 9 July, 1763.
(9) Barney Smith, b. 1763; d. Milton, 2 July, 1828; m. Ann, dau. of Dr. Ephraim Otis, of Scituate.
(10) Allen Smith; m. Betsey, dau. of Gen. David and Eleanor (Bradish) Cobb, of Taunton.
(11) Sarah Smith; m. William Clapp, b. at Scituate 26 May, 1768; d. in Boston 14 Aug., 1811, a merchant. [See Clapp Family, p. 168.]
(12) Lydia Smith; d. 18 Aug., 1779.

Mary (Danforth) Barney gave a deed of land as Mary (widow of Jacob Barney) "of Rehoboth, late of Swansey," 6 Aug., 1736. She married second, 20 May, 1737, Capt. John, son of John and Hannah (Jackson) Andrews, of Boston, born 20 Sept., 1662, died in Taunton, 25 July, 1742.

viii. HANNAH, b. 2 Dec., 1700; living at date of her father's will, 1727, but not mentioned in that of her mother. N. B.—Hannah Danforth m. in Boston 23 Oct., 1729, Bartholomew Gedney.

13. ix. THOMAS, b. 22 May, 1703.

x. JOHN, b. 21 Feb., 1705; d. 15 Aug., 1706.

xi. MARTHA, b. 2 Sept., 1707; d. 3 Nov., 1708.

xii. BETHIAH, b. 16 Aug., 1709; m. 21 Jan., 1731, Ephraim, son of Elder Henry and Esther (Gallop) Hodges, of Taunton; rem. to Norwich, Conn.

xiii. RACHEL, b. 8 July, 1711. N. B.—Rachel Danforth m. in Boston 8 May, 1740, James Pitson.

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xiv. KATHERINE, b. 31 May, 1714; d. 5 March, 1770; m. first, Thomas, son of William and Susannah (Gilbert) Hodges. She m. second (his second wife) Elijah Cobb.

Child of Thomas and Katherine (Danforth) Hodges:
Susannah Hodges; m. (1) 7 Nov., 1756, John Smith 3d; she m. (2) Benjamin Hood.

Children of Elijah and Katherine (Danforth) (Hodges) Cobb:

1. *Elijah Cobb.*
2. *Martha Cobb;* m. Benjamin Borden.
   Susannah Smith and Martha Cobb, both of Taunton, and Benjamin Borden, of Tiverton, conveyed 7 May, 1733, to Elijah Cobb, of Taunton, "all our right in the estate of James Allen, Esq., late of Boston, decd. which descends to us in right of our Honord. grandmother Hannah Danforth, decd."

7.

ENSIGN JONATHAN[3] (*Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 18 Feb., 1658–9; died 17 Jan., 1710–11; married 27 June, 1682, Rebecca, daughter of Jacob Parker, of Chelmsford, born 29 May, 1661, died 25 March, 1754. She married, second, Joseph Foster (his third wife).

He lived east of Long Street, opposite his father's place. He gave his personal property to his wife 30 Dec., 1710; this paper was presented in the settlement of the estate. She and her son Thomas administered. Guardians were appointed for the younger children. Jonathan, Samuel and Elizabeth petitioned for the appointment of their uncles, Samuel Danforth and Oliver Whiting, to appraise and divide the property. All of the nine children survived.

Children:

i. REBECCA,[4] b. 30 June, 1683; m. 31 Dec., 1702, Thomas Parker, of Chelmsford, who consented to the settlement of her father's estate in 1710.

14. ii. THOMAS, b. 17 March, 1685–6.

15. iii. JONATHAN, b. 22 March, 1688–9.

iv. ELIZABETH, b. 31 Aug., 1690; d. 11 Jan., 1766; m. in 1717 Christopher Osgood, of Andover and Billerica.

Children of Christopher and Elizabeth (Danforth) Osgood:

1. *Elizabeth Osgood,* b. 13 June, d. 5 July, 1718.
2. *Joseph Osgood,* b. 10 July, 1719.
3. *Benjamin Osgood,* b. 25 May, 1721; d. 1747.
4. *David Osgood,* b. 3 June, 1724; m. (1) Hannah Davis; m. (2) his cousin, Sarah Danforth. Had dau. Elizabeth Osgood, who m. Elijah Danforth (No. 36). He d. 2 Feb., 1768.

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5. *Elizabeth Osgood*, b. 27 Jan., 1726; d. 22 Jan., 1748.
6. *Jonathan Osgood*, b. 24 Aug., 1727; d. 15 May, 1729.

16. v. SAMUEL, b. 16 Sept., 1692.
vi. NICHOLAS, b. 17 Aug., 1695; d. at Billerica 10 March, 1748. Inventory "wholly personal" 9 April, 1749; brother Jacob, administrator.
17. vii. JACOB, b. 6 Feb., 1698.
viii. SARAH, b. 18 Aug., 1700; d. April, 1785; m. Solomon Keyes, then of Chelmsford, later of Billerica (at time of the Lovewell fight in which he took part), afterward of Western, since called Warren. He was born in Westford (Chelmsford) about 1701; was killed in the battle of Lake George in 1755. Gravestone at Warren.

Children of Solomon and Sarah (Danforth) Keyes:

1. *Sarah Keyes.*
2. *Danforth Keyes;* and probably others.

18. ix. JOHN, b. 3 June, 1703.

## 8.

SAMUEL[3] (*Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 5 Feb., 1665–6; died there 19 April, 1742; married 8 Jan., 1694–5, by Hon. Thomas Danforth, Hannah, daughter of Simon Crosby, born 30 March, 1672. She outlived her husband, and accepted of the "thirds" of his estate, set off to her 1 Jan., 1742. She married second, Enoch Kidder.

He was a land surveyor; was employed by the town of Boston 20 Feb., 1720, to help in the survey of the 1000 acre tract, near Haverhill, granted by the Colony for the use of the Free School of Boston. [Selectmen's Minutes.]

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[4] b. 3 Nov., 1695; m. at Boston, 11 April, 1716, Timothy Thornton, "of Boston," she "of Bilrica."

Children of Timothy and Elizabeth (Danforth) Thornton:

1. *Timothy Thornton*, b. 5 April, 1717.
2. *Danforth Thornton*, b. 25 Feb., 1718–19.
3. *Samuel Thornton*, b. 25 March, 1721.
4. *Elizabeth Thornton*, b. 1 Oct., 1722.
5. *Samuel Thornton*, b. 6 Dec., 1724.
6. *Hannah Thornton*, b. 7 Nov., 1726.
7. *Thomas Thornton*, b. 13 June, 1729.
8. *Samuel Thornton*, b. 25 Oct., 1731.
9. *Mary Thornton*, b. 2 Sept., 1736.

ii. HANNAH, b. 20 Aug., 1698.
19. iii. SAMUEL, b. 15 May, 1701.
iv. RACHEL, b. 14 Aug., 1703; d. 15 Sept., 1764; m. 10 May, 1726, Thomas, son of Ephraim (of James) Kidder, b. 3 Aug., 1700.

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Children of Thomas and Rachel (Danforth) Kidder:

1. *Jonathan Kidder*, b. 26 March, 1728; m. Mary Lambert.
2. *Francis Danforth Kidder*, b. 15 July, 1730; d. 15 Sept., 1748.
3. *Rachel Kidder*, b. 22 May, 1732; m. John Hovey, of Malden.
4. *Alice Kidder*, b. 18 May, 1734.
5. *Abigail Kidder*, b. 10 Jan., 1736.
6. *Hannah Kidder*, b. 19 Oct., 1738; m. Wm. Bowers, of Chelmsford.
7. *Dorothy Kidder*, b. 19 Oct., 1738.

v. LYDIA, b. 26 March, 1706; [m. at Boston, 8 Sept., 1726, Benjamin Barnard.].

vi. ABIGAIL, b. 19 Aug., 1709.

20. vii. JONATHAN, b. 11 Jan., 1712–13.

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## FOURTH GENERATION.

9.

THOMAS[4] (*John*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Dorchester, 3 or 4 Nov., 1685; died 18 Oct., 1714; became a merchant and removed to Paramaribo, in the colony of Surinam. Married, and had one daughter, Elizabeth, who married Abraham Lemmers, of the same place. She was remembered in the wills of her grandfather and Uncle Elijah; and she and her husband made Andrew Faneuil, of Boston, their attorney for the transaction of business in connection with these legacies. Feb. 20, 1740, their attorney, Edward Tothill, of Boston, sold in their name the Dorchester lands. [Suffolk Deeds LX, 177.]

10.

HON. SAMUEL[4] (*John*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Dorchester 12 Nov., 1696; died 27 Oct., 1777; married 14 Aug., 1726, Elizabeth Symmes, born 1708, died 13 Jan., 1775. He was graduated from Harvard College in 1715; taught school in Dorchester and in Cambridge, where he established himself in 1724. He was selectman five years; representative five years; member of the Governor's Council thirty-four years, and its president several, and of Court of Common Pleas thirty-four years. Being appointed by the Crown Mandamus Councillor in 1774, he was compelled by the popular opposition to the royal decrees to relinquish the position; this he did, standing bareheaded in the rain in the presence of a great concourse of excited citizens before the Court House in Cambridge; and he published a statement thereof, adding "It is my purpose not to be in any way concerned as a member of the Council at any time hereafter." Retiring from all offices at the beginning of the War of the Revolution, he was held in so high esteem that, although recognized as a Royalist, he was not disturbed in possession of his property. He died at the house of his son, on

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Hanover Street, in Boston. His wife was a daughter of William and Ruth (Converse) Symmes, of Medford, and was a direct descendant of Rev. Zechariah Symmes, an early minister of Charlestown. Both were buried at Cambridge. On the tomb was chiselled a shield, bearing an eye and a lozenge, with the motto: "Ubi plura nitent in carmine, non ego paucis offendar maculis." [*Horace.*] See letter of his father.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[5] b. 24 July, 1729; d. young.
ii. ELIZABETH, b. 29 July, 1736; d. 5 June, 1816; made her will 8 Aug., 1811; it was probated 15 Nov., 1816; desired to be buried beside her father and mother in Cambridge; bequeathed to nephew Thomas, son of Dr. Samuel; to Hannah, his sister; rest to widow Elizabeth Kneeland, of Cambridge, whom she appointed co-executor with Mr. Levi Hedge.
21. iii. SAMUEL, b. 4 Aug., 1740.
iv. THOMAS, b. 21 Aug., 1744; d. in London, March 6, 1820.
v. JOHN, b. 17 Sept., 1748.

## 11.

JAMES[4] (*Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 11 Nov., 1692; died at Norwich, Conn., 25 Feb., 1759; married 6 Nov., 1720, Sarah, daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Williams) Dean, of Taunton, born 30 Aug., 1692, died 5 Sept., 1782. Benjamin was a son of Walter, and Sarah a daughter of Richard, both these being among the original purchasers of the Titicut tract, on which the present city of Taunton is situated. Mr. Danforth was long in ill health, and spent much time with his brother Thomas at Norwich, although his family remained at Taunton.

Children:

i. SARAH,[5] b. 25 Oct., d. 23 Dec., 1721.
ii. HANNAH, b. 25 Feb., 1723; m. 3 April, 1746, Joshua Lincoln, of Taunton.
24. iii. JAMES, b. 16 July, 1724.
iv. ELIZABETH, b. 16 July, 1726; m. 20 Dec., 1768, Nathan Williams, of Norton.
v. SARAH, b. 4 July, 1729; m. 3 Sept., 1765, Ebenezer Stephens; d. 30 April, 1783.
vi. SILENCE, a twin of Sarah; m. 10 Aug., 1769, Ezra Dean.

## 12.

SAMUEL[4] (*Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton 4 Jan., 1697; died 18 Feb., 1755; married 24 Nov., 1730, Bethiah, daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah (Mirick) [?] Crossman, born 1 Aug., 1700, died 11 July, 1787.

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He was a farmer and clothier; town treasurer some time.

Children:

25. i. SAMUEL,[5] b. 29 Aug., 1731.
    ii. ABIGAIL, b. 14 Feb., 1732; died unm. 30 May, 1803.
    iii. A SON, twin of the above; d. same day.
    iv. NATHANIEL, b. 26 Sept., 1734; d. in the expedition to Crown Point in Sept., 1755.
26. v. JOHN, b. 11 Feb., 1736.
    vi. BETHIAH, b. 29 April, 1740.
    vii. MOLLY, b. 3 Dec., 1741; d. unm. 27 Nov., 1828.
27. viii. OLIVER, b. 6 July, 1743.
28. ix. JOB, b. 10 April, 1745.
    x. HANNAH, b. 14 March, 1746.
29. xi. ELKANAH, b. 5 Aug., 1750.

## 13.

THOMAS[4] (*Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 22 May, 1703; died at Norwich, Conn., about 1786; married 11 June, 1730, Sarah, daughter of Capt. James and Hannah (Walley) (Stone) Leonard, of Taunton; she died 22 May, 1742. He married second, 29 Aug., 1742, Hannah Hall, of Norwich, Conn.

He established the "forge," or blacksmith shop, where anchors have ever since been made, then in Taunton, now in Raynham (recently discontinued). He was a brazier and pewterer by trade. Removed about 1733 to Norwich, Conn.

Children:

30. i. THOMAS,[5] b. at Taunton, 2 June, 1731.
31. ii. ELIJAH, b. at Taunton, 20 March, 1733.
    iii. JOHN, b. at Norwich, Conn., 5 Oct., 1735; d. 5 May, 1739.
32. iv. EDWARD, b. 26 March, 1738.
33. v. JOHN, b. 12 March, 1740–1.
    vi. SARAH, b. at Norwich, 3 July, d. in Aug., 1743.
    vii. JONATHAN, b. 16 June, 1744; d. 2 July, 1751.
    viii. ELIZABETH, b. 9 Sept., 1745; d. 29 Aug., 1753.
    ix. DANIEL, b. 8 Jan., d. 28 Dec., 1747.
    x. DANIEL, b. 14 Feb., 1748; d. 15 July, 1751.
    xi. SAMUEL, b. 31 May, 1749; d. 8 July, 1751.
    xii. ELIPHALET, b. 8 Nov., 1750; d. 12 July, 1751.
    xiii. JOANNA, b. 5 Nov., 1752.
    xiv. BETHIAH, b. 7 Jan., 1754.

## 14.

THOMAS[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 17 March, 1685–6; died there, 31 Oct., 1737; inventory of his

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estate made, 13 Dec., 1737; after the death of his widow the property was set off, Jan. 7, 1759, to the sons Thomas and Elijah ("Joseph having died in his sixteenth year, after his father and mother"), "they being the only children living." [Middlesex Probate.]

He married, 19 Sept., 1734, Rebecca Simonds, of Bedford, who survived him, and married second, 29 Nov., 1739, Josiah Brown.

Children:

35. i. THOMAS,[5] b. 8 July, 1735.
    ii. JOSEPH, twin with Thomas; d. about 1754.
36. iii. ELIJAH, b. 8 Aug., 1737.

15.

LIEUT. JONATHAN[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 22 March, 1688-9; died 23 March, 1761-2; married 18 Nov., 1713, Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel Manning, and widow of Peter Fassett, of Cambridge; she was born 14 March, 1689-90, and died 8 April, 1772. Oct. 20, 1772, Samuel Danforth, Esq., judge of Probate, ordered the real estate of the late Lieut. Jonathan Danforth, of Billerica, set off to his daughters Rebecca, Mary and Abigail Danforth; they to pay certain sums of money to their brothers and sisters as follows: To their eldest brother Jonathan, to sister Elizabeth Manning, to the heirs of their deceased sister Sarah Danforth, and to their brother Benjamin. The order to appraise the estate had been duly issued after the father's death, 23 May, 1762.

The widow Elizabeth made will 28 July, 1763; prob. 23 June, 1772; beq. to dau. Elizabeth Manning; the 3 children of dec. son Jonathan; son Benjamin and daus. Rebecca, Mary and Abigail. The last made her will 2 May, 1769, prob. 25 June, 1774; beq. to sisters Elizabeth, Rebekah and Mary.

Children:

37. i. JONATHAN,[5] b. 10 Nov., 1714.
    ii. ELIZABETH, b. 4 May, 1717; d. 23 March, 1790; m. 1 Nov., 1742, William Manning, Jr., of Billerica, b. 28 Feb., 1708; d. 11 Aug., 1776.

Children of William, Jr., and Elizabeth (Danforth) Manning:

1. *Elizabeth Manning*, b. 2 July, 1745; m. Solomon Carlton (son of John and Hannah). Children:
   (1) Elizabeth Carlton, b. 30 Aug., 1770.
   (2) Solomon Carlton, b. 3 Nov., 1773.
   (3) Eri Carlton, b. 23 June, 1777.
   (4) Rebecca Carlton, b. 3 Jan., 1779.
   (5) Alice Carlton, b. 3 Oct., 1780.

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2. *William Manning*, b. 21 May, 1747.
3. *Jonathan Manning*, b. 16 July, 1749.
4. *Jonathan Manning*, b. 15 Sept., 1750.
5. *Timothy Manning*, b. 17 Sept., 1751.
6. *Solomon Manning*, b. 15 May, 1753.

iii. SARAH, b. 6 March, 1719–1720; d. 17 Nov., 1762.
iv. REBECCA, b. 29 May, 1722; d. unm. after 1800.
38. v. BENJAMIN, b. 8 Dec., 1724.
vi. MARY, b. 20 April, 1727; d. 16 March, 1793.
vii. ANNA, b. 28 Feb., 1729–30; m. 14 July, 1757, Braviter Gray; d. 10 Aug., 1757.
viii. ABIGAIL, b. 16 Aug., 1733; d. 27 May, 1774.

## 16.

SAMUEL[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 16 Sept., 1692; married 5 Aug., 1714, Dorothy, daughter of John and Sarah (Chamberlain) Shed, born 14 Jan., 1691–2.

He died about 1749. The estate of Samuel Danforth, of Billerica, yeoman, administration was granted 17 Aug., 1749, to Samuel Danforth, Jr. The inventory included "one right in a township granted to the soldiers that weare in the Narraganset wars." The property was set off to the widow and second son, Samuel, 3 Nov. following; and these persons signed a paper, agreeing to the arrangement for paying the other heirs their portions: "Dority Danforth, widow; Joseph Danforth; Walter Pollard; Thomas Danforth; Benjamin Danforth, and Benjamin Shed and Jeremiah Abbot, as guardians to younger children Sarah, John, Joshua, Lucy and Jonathan. Joshua was "now of Woburn" 22 May, 1749, and his guardian at that time was Jonathan Poole.

Children:

i. DOROTHY,[5] b. 27 June, 1715; m. 9 Sept., 1735, Walter Pollard, b. 28 Dec., 1709.
ii. REBECCA, b. 15 March, 1716–7; m. 21 March, 1737, Ephraim Davis, of Bedford.
iii. SAMUEL, b. 29 March, d. 5 May, 1719.
39. iv. JOSEPH, b. 30 June, 1720.
40. v. SAMUEL, b. 24 June, 1722.
41. vi. THOMAS, b. 11 May, 1724.
vii. BENJAMIN, b. 1 July, 1726; living in 1749.
viii. SARAH, b. 14 April, 1728; m. her cousin David, son of Christopher and Elizabeth (Danforth) Osgood.
42. ix. JOHN, b. 14 Feb., 1729–30.
43. x. JOSHUA, b. 24 Feb., 1731–2.
xi. LUCY, b. 5 April, 1734; m. 25 June, 1752, Joseph, son of Seth and Mary Ross of Billerica.

Children of Joseph and Lucy (Danforth) Ross:

1. *Sarah Ross*, bapt. 19 Nov., 1752.

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2. *Lucy Ross*, bapt. 19 May, 1754.
3. *Joseph Ross*, bapt. 30 May, 1756.
4. *Benjamin Ross*, bapt. 20 Aug., 1758.
5. *Thomas Ross*, bapt. 31 Aug., 1760.
6. *Josiah Ross*, bapt. 22 Aug., 1762.

44. xii. JONATHAN, b. 14 June, 1736.

17.

CAPTAIN JACOB[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica 6 Feb., 1697–8; died 2 Jan., 1754; married 6 Oct., 1719, Rebecca, daughter of Dea. William Patten, born 18 April, 1699; she died 27 Jan., 1773.

His will, dated 1 Jan., prob. 21 Jan., 1754, beq. to wife Rebecca; shop and tools "and the remainding part of Elijah Danforth's time . . . . to learn the smith trade," to son David; "horse and saddle and its furniture" to son Timothy; lands to be equally divided between them; Abigail, dau. of dec. son William; Jacob and Jesse, sons of dec. son Jacob; daus. Rebecca Whiting and Mary and Hannah D.

Children:

45. i. WILLIAM,[5] b. 25 Aug., 1720.
ii. JACOB, b. 13 Aug., 1723.
46. iii. REBECCA, b. 8 Nov., 1725; m. 14 Dec., 1749, Jonathan Whiting; b in Billerica, removed to Bedford.

Children of Jonathan and Rebecca (Danforth) Whiting:

1. *Jonathan Whiting*, b. 13 Sept., 1750.
2. *David Whiting*, b. 30 Dec., 1751.
3. *William Whiting*, b. 28 Nov., 1753.
4. *Rebecca Whiting*, b. 22 Oct., 1755.
5. *Oliver Whiting*, b. Sept., 1758.
6. *Patty Whiting*, b. 6 June, 1760.
7. *Jacob Whiting*, b. 1 June, 1762.
8. *Ziba Whiting*, b. 25 May, 1764.

47. iv. DAVID, b. 21 Dec., 1727.
48. v. TIMOTHY, b. 11 Nov., 1729.
vi. MARY, b. 9 July, 1733; m. 12 July, 1763, Ebenezer Jaquith, of Wilmington.
vii. HANNAH, b. 22 Jan., 1736–7; m. 11 Dec., 1755, Capt. Solomon Pollard.

Children of Solomon and Hannah (Danforth) Pollard:

1. *Hannah Pollard*, b. 30 Oct., 1756; m. 21 Feb., 1774, Samuel Russ.
2. *Solomon Pollard*, b. 15 July, 1758.
3. *Alice Pollard*, b. 3 May, 1760; m. 12 March, 1780, Samuel Bridge.
4. *Isaac Pollard*, b. 31 May, 1768.

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5. *Mary Pollard*, b. 13 May, 1766; m. 10 Jan., 1790, Andrew Bowers.
6. *William Pollard*, b. 14 July, 1768; m. Arethusa Manning.
7. *Isaac Pollard*, b. 27 June, 1770; m. Abigail, dau. of Josiah Richardson.
8. *Francis Pollard*, b. 12 Dec., 1772; m. Judith Richardson.

viii. MEHETABEL, b. 9, d. 13 July, 1739.
ix. PATTY, b. 18 July, 1742; d. 3 April, 1750.

18.

JOHN[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 3 June, 1703; receipted 7 July, 1724, to his brother Thomas for his portion of their father's estate. He removed to Westborough. He married Tabitha [Johnson] who called John Johnson, of Andover, "brother" in a deed of land. He seems to have died about Feb. 1735; for 15 March, 1735, Joseph Loring was appointed guardian to his daughter Hannah; and 13 Sept., 1642, the widow, who had removed to Andover, petitioned to have Jacob Danforth "of Billerica, blacksmith," appointed guardian of John Danforth, of Westborough, under 14 years of age, a minor son of John Danforth, late of the same place; he was afterward chosen guardian by Lydia, aged 14, another child. The widow survived until about 1762. [See Essex records of Deeds and Probate].

Children:

i. HANNAH,[5] b. about 1723.
ii. LYDIA, b. about 1728; m. Uriah Ballard, Jr.
48*a*. iii. JOHN, b. about 1730.

19.

SAMUEL[4] (*Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 15 May, 1701; died June 28, 1749; married Elizabeth, daughter of James and Maria Hosley, born 18 Jan., 1699–1700, died 3 July, 1756.

The inventory of his estate was taken Nov., 1750. The "thirds" which the widow had possessed during her life, were divided 11 April, 1757, to "her third son Nicholas, he to pay to his brothers and sisters, James, Samuel, Jonathan and Elizabeth" their due portions. 27 Sept., 1756, her son James was appointed administrator of her estate.

Children:

49. i. JAMES,[5] b. 10 Jan., 1729–30.
ii. ISAAC, b. 9 Jan., 1731–2; d. 10 May, 1756; estate administered

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first by brother Samuel, 11 April, 1758, then by brother Nicholas, 22 Jan., 1759.

50. iii. SAMUEL, b. 8 Dec., 1734. "Samuel Danforth of Billerica, 23 years old" made his will 18 April, 1758, "bound out into his Majesty's service in Canada." Bequeathed to his brother Nicholas Danforth certain effects, the rest to be divided between his brothers James, Nicholas and Jonathan and his sister Elizabeth.

51. iv. NICHOLAS, b. 8 Dec., 1734, twin with the above.

v. ELIZABETH, b. 10 May, 1736; d. 28 March, 1817; m. William Danforth, (forward, No. 53.)

52. vi. JONATHAN, b. 26 Feb., 1742.

20.

JONATHAN[4] (*Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 11 Jan., 1712–3; died Sept., 1738; married Sarah, daughter of William and Elizabeth (French) Manning; born 8 Feb., 1711; she died 11 Dec., 1745.

"Jonathan Danforth of Billerica, husbandman," made will 10 Aug., 1738; it was proved 9 Dec., 1738. He bequeathed to his wife what estate she brought with her and something more; the rest to his son William Danforth; wife and Wm. Manning, Jr., executors. Nov. 18, 1751, Mr. Manning was appointed guardian to William, at his request, he being "in his 18th year."

Child:

53. WILLIAM,[5] b. 7 Nov., 1737.

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## FIFTH GENERATION.

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### 21.

DOCTOR SAMUEL[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *John*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Cambridge, 4 Aug., 1740; died in Boston, 16 Nov., 1827; married first (intention 29 Nov., 1770), Hannah, daughter of Samuel Watts, of Chelsea; she died in Boston, 10 Sept., 1780. He married second, Margaret, daughter of Capt. John Billings; she died 27 Feb., 1782. He married third, Martha Hall Gray.

He was graduated from Harvard College in 1758; studied medicine with the renowned Dr. Isaac Rand, Sen. (1718–1790). Practised in Boston; his loyalty to the British Crown brought him into disrepute and caused him some harsh treatment; he resided two years at Newport, R. I., and returning, enjoyed the esteem of the community until after his 80th year. "In difficult cases his opinion was valued as the utmost of human skill" [*sic*]. His chemical apparatus was perhaps the best in the country. Very decided in his opinions and distinct in expression thereof, but kindly and reasonable. Fellow of the Am. Acad. of Arts and Sciences; pres. 1794–1798 of the Mass. Med. Society; Cor. Memb. London Med. Society. A stroke of paralysis was the immediate cause of death. An excellent portrait by Stuart, is in the possession of the Mass. Medical Society. He bequeathed his estate (will dated 9 Aug., 1820, prob. 26 Nov., 1827) to the children of his deceased son "Doctor Thomas Danforth," viz.: Elizabeth, Samuel, Mary, Sherburn and Blowers Danforth, and to his two daughters Hannah Cunningham and Caroline Danforth.

Children:

i. SAMUEL,[6] b. about 1772; "7 years old in 1780" [Catalogue of the Latin School]; d. 29 Feb., 1784, æ. 12.

55. ii. THOMAS, b. about 1774.

iii. HANNAH, m. 9 July, 1806, George Cunningham.

iv. MARGARET.

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v. CAROLINE; singlewoman, "of Boston," she made will at the house of Mrs. Mary Ann Fales, at Brunswick, Me., 18 June, 1832; prob. at Boston 10 Sept., 1832; beq. to Mrs. Fales and Caroline Danforth Fales, Edward Gray F., Mary Turrell F., and Jane Minot F.; to Maria Margaretta and Henrietta Simpson, of Boston; to Anna Howard Spooner, of Surry, Me.; to "Mrs. Drew of Boston, widow, a cousin of my late father"; to "my cousin Dr. Thomas Gray, Junior, of Boston"; rest to Frederick T. Gray, of Boston. She died in Brunswick, Me.; was buried in the Granary burying ground in Boston, in June, 1832.

## 24.

JAMES[5] (*James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 16 July, 1724; died 15 April, 1777; married Mehetabel, daughter of Samuel Baker, of Raynham, born 4 Feb., 1739; died 22 Aug., 1823.

Children:

56. i. ASA,[6] b. 9 Jan., 1766.
ii. JAMES, b. 8 June, 1769; d. 24 April, 1778.
iii. POLLY, b. 26 Nov., 1774; d. 19 April, 1777.

## 25.

SAMUEL[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 29 Aug., 1731; died 10 Feb., 1808; married 15 Nov., 1757, Eunice Gibbs, of Easton. Removed to Norton. He was a farmer and also a clothier, finishing home-made cloth.

Children:

57. i. THOMAS,[6] b. about 1760.
58. ii. SAMUEL, b. about 1762.
iii. EUNICE, b. about 1764; m. 6 Aug., 1788, Samuel Copeland.

Children of Samuel and Eunice (Danforth) Copeland:

1. *Samuel Copeland*, b. 22 Aug., 1789; d. 15 April, 1859; m. Sept., 1811, Mercy Rich Titus, of Hardwick; b. 22 Aug., 1793; d. at Hulberton, N. Y., 31 Jan., 1876. Their son Samuel Danforth Copeland, of Hulberton, N. Y., 81 years of age, wrote a very interesting letter to the Family Meeting at Chicago in 1893; his son John B. Copeland, Supt. of the Great Northern R. R., also wrote a welcome letter.
2. *Benjamin Copeland*, b. 14 May, 1791; d. 15 Jan., 1879; m. Ann M. Sturges.
3. *Betsey Copeland*, b. 1793; d. young?
4. *John Copeland*, b. 1796; m. and lived and d. at Norton.

iv. HANNAH, b. about 1766; m. at Taunton, April 12, 1807, Jonathan Newland, of Norton. He d. in 1840, leaving no children; bequeathed his property to Henry Newcomb, who had been living with him from an early age.

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26.

JOHN[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton 11 Feb., 1736; died ——; married Rhoda, daughter of Israel and Sarah (Richmond) Dean, of Taunton. He was owner of a large tract of land in Norton, near what is now called Crane's Depot. "He was a loyalist,* and the land was confiscated." He afterwards lived in Taunton in a small house on the Dean property, near his wife's relatives. The Dean Street Station house now occupies the spot. He removed to Whitehall, near Lake Champlain, N. Y., and later lived with his son John in Athol, Mass. His wife Rhoda was a direct descendant of John and Alice Dean, who came to New England about 1637. Rhoda's mother was descended from Richard and Frances Williams, who came from the vicinity of Essington and Whetenhurst, in the county of Gloucester, Eng., to Dorchester, in 1633, and settled at Taunton about 1646.

Children:

i. POLLY,[6] b. 3 Nov., 1763; m. Isaac Briggs, of Phillipston, many years settled in the Baptist ministry at Athol. He was b. about 1762; d. 12 July, 1837; she d. 9 July, 1842.

Children of Isaac and Polly (Danforth) Briggs:

1. *Polly Briggs*, b. 3 Nov., 1786; d. 7 Dec., 1854. m. Noah Stockwell of Athol.
2. *Sally Briggs*, b. 2 April, 1788; d. 27 March, 1816.
3. *Isaac Briggs*, b. 6 Feb., 1790; d. Oct., 1849; m. Betsey Andrews.
4. *Rhoda Briggs*, b. 16 Feb., 1792; d. 20 July, 1815.
5. *Nancy Briggs*, b. 10 Oct., 1793; d. about 1870; m. Stephen Fairbanks, of Athol.
6. *Betsey Briggs*, b. 28 Nov., 1794; d. 8 Jan., 1873; m. John Stockwell.
7. *John Briggs*, b. 9 March, 1797; m. Hannah Mann.

* Who then was the following?

JOHN (DANFORD), Taunton, Sergeant, Capt. Josiah King's co.; marched Sept. 29, 1777; discharged Oct. 29, 1777; service 1 month and 2 days at Rhode Island; co. marched from Taunton under command of Col. George Williams on a secret expedition,

JOHN, Taunton. Private, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; service, 20 days, at Rhode Island; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777, by order of Brig. Gen. George Godfrey.

JOHN, Taunton. Sergeant, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; service, 1 mo. 23 days, at Rhode Island; company marched from Taunton to Providence, R. I., agreeable to resolve of April, 1777; roll sworn to at Taunton, Sept. 23, 1777; *also*, Capt. Jacob Haskins's co., Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt.; entered service July 27, 1780; discharged Oct. 31, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days; company raised to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

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8. *David Briggs*, b. 8 April, 1799; d. 20 May, 1841; m. and d. at the South.
9. *Sophronia Briggs*, b. 19 May, 1800; d. 17 June, 1870; m. Daniel L. Holt, of Hardwick.
10. *Levi Briggs*, b. 19 July, 1803; d. 20 Jan., 1835.
11. *Moses Briggs*, b. 23 Dec., 1805; d. 14 Nov., 1874; m. (1) Adeline Gray, (2) Eunice Ball, of Warwick.
12. *Esther Briggs*, b. 21 July, 1808; d. 15 May, 1871; m. 5 Oct., 1835, Samuel Bancroft, of Athol.

ii. RHODA, b. 18 Dec., 1766; m. 23 Oct., 1787, Samuel Blake, of Taunton. Rem. to Glenns Falls, N. Y.

59. iii. JOHN, b. 18 July, 1768.

iv. JOSHUA, b. 25 June, 1771; unm.

v. RICHMOND, b. 3 March. 1775; m. 3 July, 1800, Katherine, daughter of Elkanah Woodward, b. 22 Oct., 1782.

vi. ABIEZER, b. 13 Dec., 1776. Went to Albany, N. Y.

vii. SALLY RICHMOND, b. 18 July, 1780; m. Troop Barney; rem. to Glenns Falls.

viii. LUCINDA, b. 1 Oct., 1782; m. —— Kinsley, of Whitehall.

ix. LEWIS, b. 5 Sept., 1784; unm.

27.

OLIVER[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 6 July, 1743; died 27 Nov., 1828; married 19 May, 1767, Hannah, daughter of Lemuel and Hannah (Leonard) Pratt. He was a farmer at Taunton. He had a fine Revolutionary record.*

Children:

i. BETHIAH,[6] b. 4 Oct., 1767; d. 10 Dec., 1864; m. Edward Phillips, of Taunton, b. 26 June, 1763, d. 19 Sept., 1856.

Children of Edward and Bethiah (Danforth) Phillips:

1. *Edward Phillips*, b. 25 July, 1790; d. 25 Sept., 1857; m. Mary Abbott; was an artist.
2. *Rebecca Phillips*, b. 10 March, 1792; m. Ira Dean.
3. *Nathaniel Phillips*, b. 23 Dec., 1793; d. 4 Feb., 1876; m. (1) Nancy Baker, (2) Martha Hawley.
4. *Mary Phillips*, b. 3 Nov., 1795; d. 1 Aug., 1886.
5. *Hannah Phillips*, b. 15 Sept., 1798; d. 8 Sept., 1882.
6. *John Phillips*, b. Nov., 1800; d. unm. 25 Sept., 1856.

* He was sergeant in Capt. Elisha Barney's co. (10th), Col. Geo. Williams' (3d) Bristol County regt.; service, 25 days; co. marched to Warren, R. I., via Rehoboth on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776; *also*, in Capt. Ebenezer Dean's co., Col. Thos. Carpenter's regt.; service, 1 mo., 4 days; co. marched from Taunton via Rehoboth and Bristol, to Providence, R. I., and thence home; roll dated Nov. 5, 1777; *also*, 2d Lieutenant in Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's co., 3d Bristol County regt.; list of officers of Mass. militia commissioned July 27, 1778; *also*, 2d Lieut., Capt. Ichabod Leonard's co., same regt. and date; discharged Sept. 9, 1778; service, 1 mo., 15 days, on expedition to Rhode Island. [Mass. Arch.] He was engaged in some way, it is said, in the suppression of Shay's Rebellion.

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7. *Lucretia Phillips*, b. 29 Oct., 1802; d. 14 Dec., 1844.
8. *Almira Phillips*, b. 11 Aug., 1804; m. Jeremiah Hack Townsend; resided at Bridgewater. He d. 28 July, 1875. Children of Jeremiah Hack and Almira (Danforth) Townsend:
   (1) Almira Augusta Townsend, b. July, 1834; m. Samuel Shaw.
   (2) John Townsend, b. 1836; m. Olive Soule.
   (3) Mary Elizabeth Townsend, b. 1840; d. 1842.
   (4) Edward Francis Townsend, b. 1841; d. 1842.

62. ii. NATHANIEL, b. 31 March, 1769.
63. iii. WILLIAM, b. 16 Dec., 1770.
iv. HANNAH, b. 30 March, 1773; d. at Russell, N. Y., 26 Sept., 1859; m. in Taunton, 7 Oct., 1792, Darius Wetherell, b. at Easton, 29 Jan., 1768; d. at Russell, N. Y., 30 Nov., 1854.
Children of Darius and Hannah (Danforth) Wetherell:
1. *Nancy Wetherell*, b. at Easton, 8 Oct., 1793; m. Martin Norton.
2. *Ira Wetherell*, b. 8 May, 1794, "carpenter"; d. Ohio, 11 Sept., 1819.
3. *Jarvis Wetherell*, b. 22 Aug., 1799; d. Russell, 2 April, 1881; m. 2 Oct., 1825, Vesta Blackmer, b. 6 Aug., 1803, d. 25 May, 1876.
4. *Bradford Wetherell*, b. 28 May, 1803; d. Russell, 16 Oct., 1887; m. 1 Oct., 1828, Sophronia Randall, b. 18 Feb., 1809, d. 17 Nov., 1892.

v. ABIGAIL, b. 10 Sept., 1775; d. 27 May, 1871; m. 17 April, 1796, Benjamin Horton, of Norton (son of James, of Rehoboth).
Children of Benjamin and Abigail (Danforth) Horton:
1. *Elizabeth Horton*, b. 6 Dec., 1796; d. 31 Dec., 1821; m. 15 Feb., 1818, Ichabod Perry.
2. *Abigail Danforth Horton*, b. 18 July, 1798; m. L. Walker.
3. *Lucinda Horton*, b. 30 Jan., 1800; m. 15 Feb., 1818, William Coddington Verry.
4. *Mary Newcomb Horton*, b. 22 Aug., 1801; m. William Day; res. Troy, N. Y.
5. *Benjamin Everett Horton*, b. 3 July, 1803; m. 18 March, 1827, Eunice, dau. of —— Danforth. Children:
   (1) Eliza Eunice Horton.
   (2) Nancy Danforth Horton.
   (3) Helen Mar Horton.
   (4) Mary Everett Horton.
6. *Almira Horton*, b. 18 Dec., 1804.
7. *Lewis Horton*, b. 18 Dec., 1804; m. Charlotte Tingsley. Children:
   (1) Solomon Horton.
   (2) Francis Horton.
   (3) Oliver Horton.
   (4) Lewis Horton.

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8. *Gideon Horton*, b. 10 Nov., 1806; m. Almira Harvey. Children:
   (1) Francis E. Horton.
   (2) Mary A. Horton.
   (3) William Horton.
   (4) Martha Horton.
   (5) Eunice Horton.
9. *James Babbit Horton*, b. 4 Feb., 1809; m. Roxanna, dau. of Samuel and Anne (Woodward) Lincoln, of Norton, b. 13 Dec., 1817. Children:
   (1) Lucinda V. Horton.
   (2) Henry W. Horton.
   (3) J. Oliver Horton.
   (4) Abigail A. Horton.
10. *Oliver Danforth Horton*, b. 4 Nov., 1810; d. 4 July, 1833.
11. *Hannah Jane Horton*, b. 14 Feb., 1813; m. Silas R. Goff. Children:
   (1) Abby Jane Goff.
   (2) Mary E. Goff.
12. *Charles B. Horton;* m. Katrina Simonds. Children:
   (1) J. Oliver Horton.
   (2) Louisa Horton.
   (3) Elizabeth Horton.
   (4) Charles E. Horton.

vi. SALLY, b. 4 Feb., 1778; d. 26 Nov., 1863; her daughter, Almira, called "the barking woman," from a strange affection of the voice, inherited her grandfather's property.

vii. ASENATH, b. 25 Nov., 1780; d. Aug., 1828; m. James Westcott. Children of James and Asenath (Danforth) Westcott:
1. *Jane Westcott.*
2. *George Westcott.*

viii. LYDIA, b. 4 Dec., 1783; d. 20 Sept., 1859.

ix. NANCY, b. 15 Nov., 1786; d. 2 May, 1868; m. Otis Stanley, of Norton and Attleboro.
Children of Otis and Nancy (Danforth) Stanley:
1. *Nancy Danforth Stanley;* m. Edward T. Richardson.
2. *Oliver Cromwell Stanleg;* m. Ann M. Ellis.
3. *William A. Stanley;* m. Olive A. Shaw.
4. *Otis T. Stanley*, b. 6 Sept., 1812; m. (1) 18 Jan., 1835, Abigail W. Drake; m. (2) 24 Dec., 1853, Louisa Lincoln.
5. *Maria Stanley;* m. 11 Dec., 1842, Enos Richardson.
6. *Ira N. Stanley;* m. (1) Abby A. Carpenter; m. (2) Ann Turnley.
7. *Mary Ann Stanley;* m. 1 Jan., 1852, Nathaniel Walden.
8. *Juliet Danforth Stanley;* m. James Goss.
9. *John B. Stanley;* m. 3 Aug., 1856, Nelly M. Wentworth.
10. *Betsey Emeline Stanley;* m. Benjamin W. Dawley.

64. x. OLIVER CROMWELL, b. 27 Feb., 1790.

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JOB[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 10 April, 1745; died in Providence, R. I., 23 Nov., 1838; married 5 Nov., 1769, Sarah, daughter of Peter and Sarah Coy, of Bristol, R. I., born in 1753, died 26 Aug., 1812. He served in the Revolution*; called afterward "ensign"; name on pension roll, 1831; $70 *per annum*.

Children:

i. SAMUEL,[6] b. 7 Sept., 1770; d. unm. 5 Oct., 1795.
65. ii. OZIAS, b. 20 Oct., 1772.
66. iii. JOB, b. 9 Sept., 1774.
iv. OLIVER, b. 4 Sept., 1776; unm.
67. v. WILLIAM, b. 26 Aug., 1777.
vi. HORATIO, b. 28 April, 1780; lost at sea; d. unm. 1807.
vii. CATHERINE, b. 20 April, 1785; d. unm. 20 April, 1833.
68. viii. WALTER RALEIGH, b. 1 April, 1787.

29.

ELKANAH[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 5 Aug., 1750; resided many years, and died at Woodford, Vt., 16 Feb., 1813; married 25 Nov., 1773, Sibyl Tisdale (born about 1755, died 31 May, 1818). He was a very prominent citizen, chairman of the board of selectmen, etc.

An ancient pocket memorandum-book, once the property of Rev. Samuel Danforth, of Taunton (subsequently the property of Elkanah Danforth, and now of his great-grandson, B. Franklin Danforth, Chetopa, Labette County, Kansas), contains many memoranda of purchases of land by said Rev. Samuel Danforth; also these memoranda: "May 20, 1774, Ebenezer Severs & Elkanah Danforth hired the Decon Luscomb's pu (pew) taking one half to myselvef"; also, "Nov. 25, 1773, Elkanah Danforth maried to Sibble Tisdel"; also, "my son Georg Washington died June the 23, 1799, in the avanna on a Spanish Ilon in the West Inges."

Elkanah Danforth† was a corporal in Capt. Jonathan Shaw's co., Col. John Daggett's regt., enlisted Aug. 21, 1778, discharged Sept. 1, 1778; service, 12 days, travel included, at Rhode Island. [Mass. Arch.]

Children:

69. i. JONATHAN,[6] b. 1 Oct., 1775.
70. ii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 29 Jan., 1776.

* He was in Captain Esek Eddy's company of artificers, acting as boatman; service, from Aug. 8, 1778, 25 days, on an expedition to Rhode Island. [Mass. Arch.]

† Elkanah Danford or Danforth, of Tamworth, N. H., descendant of William of Newbury, was also a Revolutionary soldier. See his record in Part Second.

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71. iii. JAMES, b. 26 Jan., 1779.

iv. ELIZABETH, b. 13 April, 1782; m. Sylvester Armstrong, son of John Armstrong, of Norwich, Conn., b. at Bennington, Vt., 14 Dec., 1780; d. Kirkland, N. Y., 29 March, 1851; m. at Woodford, Vt., 22 Dec., 1803. He was a farmer. Res. at Kirkland, N. Y.

Children of Sylvester and Elizabeth (Danforth) Armstrong:

1. *Harriet Armstrong*, b. at Bennington, 16 Oct., 1804; m. 23 March, 1826, Silas Spencer. Child:

   Reuben Danforth Spencer.

2. *Elkanah Danforth Armstrong*, b. at Bennington, 3 Aug., 1807; m. 13 March, 1834, Eliza White, b. at Rowe, Mass., 6 May, 1815. Children of Elkanah D. and Eliza (White) Armstrong:

   (1) Caroline Elizabeth Armstrong, b. 7 June, 1835; d. 1 March, 1839.

   (2) Luman Danforth Armstrong, b. 6 June, 1837; d. at Exeter, N. Y., 5 July, 1860.

   (3) Chester White Armstrong, b. 2 Sept., 1840; d. 4 April, 1875; m. at Verona, N. Y., 10 April, 1870, Eliza Satterlee, b. at Verona, 7 Dec., 1849.

   (4) Emeline Mehetabel Armstrong, b. 19 June, 1845; m. Fayette Nelson Satterlee.

   (5) Andalusia Melissa Armstrong, b. 31 May, 1853.

3. *Sylvester Armstrong, Jr.*, b. 14 Dec., 1809; d. 7 Nov., 1885; m. 10 Dec., 1835, Olive Curtis, dau. of Levi and Elizabeth (Parmalee) Munger, b. 22 July, 1813. Children of Sylvester and Olive C. (Munger) Armstrong:

   (1) Ellen Rosalie Armstrong, b. 8 Oct., 1836; m. George Henry Spencer.

   (2) Amos Parmalee Armstrong, b. 10 Oct., 1838; m. Catherine, dau. of James and Lydia House.

   (3) Harriet Elizabeth Armstrong, b. 25 Sept., 1840; m. Sabine Lloyd.

   (4) Betsey Olive Armstrong, b. 27 June, 1843; d. 12 May, 1880; m. David Perry Stafford.

   (5) Sarah Anna Armstrong, b. 17 Oct., 1847; d. 16 Dec., 1890; m. George Nichols.

   (6) Elvira Munger Armstrong, b. 9 June, 1850; m. 1871, William Mercer. Child: Edith May Mercer, b. 3 July, 1872, m. Albert Luther, Franklin Iron Works, Oneida, N. Y.

   (7) Lillie Cecilia Armstrong, b. 22 Oct., 1857; m. Albert Luther.

4. *Alden Armstrong*, b. 5 July, 1814; res. Deansville, N. Y.

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5. *Henry Armstrong*, b. 23 Feb., 1817; school teacher and farmer; d. 27 Nov., 1846; m. 1842, Anna, dau. of —— and Nancy (Burdick) Coon, b. De Ruyter, N. Y., 5 May, 1816, d. 10 Nov., 1888. After Mr. Armstrong's death she m. (2) John S. Parslow, and (3) Micah Jepson. Child of Henry and Anna (Coon) Armstrong:

Cornelia Amanda Armstrong, b. at Lincklaen, N. Y., 19 Oct., 1842; m. 13 Sept., 1865, Henry Deloss, son of Henry Clark and Martha (Coon) Burdick, b. at Lincklaen, N. Y., 18 April, 1833. Res. New Woodstock, Madison County, N. Y.

v. BENJAMIN, b. 2 April, 1785; d. unm. 7 Feb., 1809.

72. vi. HENRY, b. 13 July, 1793.

## 30.

THOMAS[5] (*Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 2 June, 1731; died 8 Aug., 1782; married by Shubael Conant, justice of the peace, 20 Feb., 1755, Martha Jacobs, of Mansfield, born in 1732, died 12 May, 1792. He resided at Middletown, Conn.

Children:

73. i. THOMAS,[6] b. 2 June, 1756.

74. ii. JOSEPH, b. 17 Aug., 1758.

iii. SARAH, b. 27 Feb., 1761; d. 28 Dec., 1827; m. 1 May, 1781, Oliver Boardman, fourth child of Timothy and Jemima (Johnson) Boardman, of Middletown, Ct.; b. 2 Aug., 1758; d. 28 July, 1826.

Children of Oliver and Sarah (Danforth) Boardman:

1. *Sarah* or *Sally Boardman*, b. 21 Feb., 1782; d. at Wawatosa, Wis., 10 Feb., 1853; m. at Hartford, Ct., 24 Nov., 1808, Simeon Stedman, b. at Sturbridge, Mass., 25 May, 1782, settled in Springfield, deacon Cong. Church (now Chicopee); he d. 5 Oct., 1842. It was during a temporary residence in Hartford that his dau. Harriet Priscilla (afterward wife of Rev. Luther Clapp) was born, on the day when the first missionaries to the Sandwich Islands were ordained there.

Children of Simeon and Sally (Boardman) Stedman:

(1) Isaac Watts Stedman, b. 6 Feb., 1810; d. 28 Jan., 1827.

(2) Elizabeth Rowe Stedman, b. 1812; d. 23 Aug., 1850.

(3) Mary Boardman Stedman, b. 6 Dec., 1814; d. 25 June, 1835.

(4) Harriet Priscilla Stedman, b. 29 Sept., 1819; m. 29 June, 1845, Rev. Luther Clapp (son

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of Ansel and Eunice (Wright) Clapp; b. Westhampton, 19 Oct., 1819); and had among other children, a dau. Sarah Boardman Clapp who went as a missionary to China, and there m. Rev. Chauncey Goodrich.

(5) Simeon Boardman Stedman, b. July, 1822, drowned 13 March, 1832.

(6) Timothy Boardman Stedman, b. 21 April, 1826; m. Eliza Jane Belcher; d. 28 Nov., 1892.

2. *Thomas Danforth Boardman*, b. 21 Jan., 1784; d. Hartford, Sept., 1873; m. 28 May, 1812, Elizabeth B. Lewis, b. in May, 1788.
3. *Oliver Boardman*, b. 26 Aug., 1785; d. unm., 21 Feb., 1811.
4. *Sherman Boardman*, b. 10 July, 1787; d. 20 March, 1861; m. 29 May, 1817, Henrietta, dau. of Col. William Richards, of New London; b. 22 Sept., 1788.
5. *Mary Frothingham Boardman*, b. 28 March, 1790; d. unm., 11 May, 1822.
6. *Daniel Boardman*, b. 1 Feb., 1792; d. 23 Sept., 1799.
7. *Martha Danforth Boardman*, b. 19 Dec., 1793; d. 3 Nov., 1860.
8. *Jerusha Boardman*, b. 16 April, 1796; d. Elizabeth, N. J., 23 July, 1861.
9. *Timothy Boardman*, b. 20 April, 1798; d. N. Y., 25 Feb., 1825.
10. *Fanny Boardman*, b. 20 April, 1800; d. 2 May, 1853; m. 6 April, 1831, Job Chandler, in business in N. Y.; daus. Fanny, Sarah and Elizabeth Chandler, recently living in Elizabeth, N. J., 46 West Grant St.
11. *Daniel Elisha Boardman*, b. 5 Sept., 1802; d. 26 Aug., 1803.

iv. SAMUEL, b. 17 May, 1763; d. 30 July, 1764.
75. v. EDWARD, b. 20 March, 1765.
76. vi. JONATHAN, b. 14 Dec., 1766.
77. vii. WILLIAM, b. 7 Feb., 1769.
78. viii. DANIEL, b. 25 Jan., 1771.
79. ix. SAMUEL, b. 10 April, 1774.

## 31.

ELIJAH[5] (*Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 20 March, 1733; died at Norton, 12 Feb., 1809; married 1 Oct., 1761, Susannah, daughter of Dea. Benjamin and Sarah (Allen) Copeland* of Norton, born 1 April, 1740; died 12 March, 1816.

* Benjamin Copeland was son of William Copeland and Mary, dau. of John and Ruth (Alden) Bass, Ruth being a dau. of the Mayflower passengers John Alden and Priscilla, dau. of Mr. William Mullins.

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Elijah Danforth,[5] born in Taunton, went with his father's family to Norwich, Ct.; learned blacksmith's trade; settled in Norton, Mass. All their children were born in Norton.

"The news of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775, reached Norton the same day, and before sunrise of the 20th, two companies left town for the scene of action. In one of these, commanded by Capt. Seth Gilbert, was Elijah Danforth. He continued in service during the war.*

Children:

80. i. ELIJAH,[6] b. 12 Sept., 1762.

ii. SUSANNAH, b. 8 June, 1764; d. in Mercer, Me., 5 Jan., 1838; m. Daniel Burr, who removed from North Oxford to Mercer, Me., about 1801.

Children of Daniel and Susannah (Danforth) Burr:

1. *Letitia Burr*, b. at N. Oxford, Me., 1799; m. John Gates, of Worcester.
2. *Daniel Burr*, b. at N. Oxford, Me., 31 Jan., 1795; d. at Hingham, 15 Sept., 1874; m. Lucy Lane Andrews. Children: (i.) Daniel Horace, b. 19 Feb., 1838; killed at Gettysburg, 2 July, 1863. (ii.) Anna Catherine, b. 5 Feb., 1842.
3. *Anna Palmer Burr*, m. Rev. Sewell Paine, son of Wm. and Relief (Ward) Paine, b. at Leicester, 1 Nov., 1806; Bowd. Coll. 1835; Bangor Theo. Sem. 1838; ord. Montgomery, Vt., 1842; afterwards at Rumford and Monson, Me., Quechee, Vt., and Granville, N. Y.; d. 4 March, 1877.
4. *Polly Burr*, m. Rev. Mr. Simpson, of Craftsbury, Vt.
5. *Experience Burr*, d. unm., at Worcester, at her sister Gates'.
6. *John Burr*, b. 1777–8; d. 10 May, 1843.

81. iii. THOMAS, b. 17 May, 1766.

iv. SARAH, b. 21 Jan., 1768; d. 5 Nov., 1831; m. 3 Aug., 1790, Jonathan Hodges, son of Jona. and Abigail (Sanford) Hodges, b. 18 April, 1763. d. 28 March, 1814, in Norton. Jonathan Hodges at the age of 17 years served in the American Army in the Revolution. He was stationed at West Point at the time of the treachery of Benedict Arnold. He served also later in Rhode Island. After the war he followed the occupations of

* Following is the official abstract of his service: "Private, Capt. Seth Gilbert's (2d Norton) company, Col. John Daggett's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19th, 1775; service, 5 days"; he was also in "Capt. Isaac Hodges' co., Col. George Williams' regt.; service from Sept. 25, 1777, to Oct. 31, 1777, 1 mo., 6 days, on a secret expedition"; also in "Capt. Samuel White's co., Col. Thos. Carpenter's regt.; enlisted Aug. 18, 1778; discharged Sept. 9, 1778; service, 23 days, on expedition to Rhode Island"; also in "Capt. Israel Trow's co., Col. Isaac Dean's (Bristol County) regt.; enlisted Aug. 1, 1780; discharged Aug. 7, 1780; service, 9 days, at Rhode Island on the Alarm of Aug. 1, 1780." [Mass. Arch.]

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his father, being a farmer and also running a fulling-mill. He was assessor and also selectman of Norton for a number of years, and was captain of one of the Norton militia companies.

Children of Jonathan and Sarah (Danforth) Hodges:

1. *Sarah Hodges*, b. 1 March, 1794; d. at Augusta, Me., 3 Aug., 1865.
2. *Susannah Hodges*, b. 5 Oct., 1796; d. 7 Jan., 1880.
3. *Jonathan Hodges*, b. March, 1799; d. at Taunton, 10 Nov., 1866. Jonathan Hodges, Jr., was quite a mechanical genius and a number of his inventions of improved details of steam locomotives came into general use. He had a decided taste for music and belonged to the "Old Taunton Band," and to a double quartette of vocalists, both locally quite celebrated.
4. *Almon Danforth Hodges*, b. 25 Jan., 1801; d. at Portsmouth, R. I., 27 Sept., 1878; m. 5 Oct., 1827, Martha, dau. of Samuel and Sally (Brown) Comstock, b. 1807, d. 29 Aug., 1849. He m. (2) 17 Dec., 1850, Jane Hudson (Glazier) Leonard. She died in Roxbury 3 Nov., 1901.

   In 1816 he became clerk in a grocery store in Providence, R. I.; from 1818 to 1823 he was in the service of John D. and Moses Williams, of Boston; after which, in the firm of Stimson & Hodges, he conducted successfully the grocery business in Providence during 22 years. Returning to Boston in 1845, he entered upon the wholesale grocery trade, and with several partners, one of whom was James H. Danforth (No. 330), continued until 1850, when he became president of the Washington Bank of Boston. His financial ability, strict integrity and pleasant manners led to his being chosen to many positions of trust; director of the Weybosset and National banks of Providence; president of the Roxbury Institution for Savings; one of the organizers of the Boston Clearing House. Always interested in military matters, he was prominent in militia in Boston and Providence. In the Dorr war of 1842 he did important service; after which he organized the Providence Horse Guards, of which he became colonel, and represented the city of Providence in the Rhode Island legislature.

   On the outbreak of the war of the Rebellion, though too old to enter active service, he organized and commanded the Roxbury Horse Guards, and used his influence and means in upholding the government. With a good voice and musical capability, he belonged to several musical societies. He was president of the N. E. Historic Genealogical Society, and compiled at his own expense a second edition of the Gene-

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alogical Record of the Hodges Family in New England.

Children of Almon Danforth Hodges:

(1) Danforth Comstock Hodges, b. 15 Sept., 1831; m. 1 July, 1863, Mary Ives, dau. of Henry Augustus and Julia Ann (Haughton) Richards, b. 28 April, 1840. A member of the firm of Geo. Blackburn & Co.; trustee of the Roxbury Institution for Savings; clerk of St. James Episcopal Church. Children: (i.) Almon Danforth Hodges, b. 17 Feb., 1865; H. U., A.B. 1889; M.D. 1893; res. Roxbury. (ii.) Martha Comstock Hodges, b. 12 June, 1866; m. John F. F. Brewster. (iii.) Mary Ivers Richards Hodges, b. 22 May, 1874. (iv.) Jennie Leonard Hodges, b. 29 July, 1876; m. Rev. Victor Menet Haughton. (v.) Anne Chester Hodges, b. 1 June, 1878.

(2) William Townsend Hodges, b. 21 Oct., 1833; d. 6 April, 1865; fell while leading his squadron in the battle of Burksville, Va.

(3) George Foster Hodges, b. 12 Jan., 1837; d. of camp fever, at Hall's Hill, Va., 31 Jan., 1862.

(4) Frederick Stimson Hodges, b. 29 Sept., 1839; d. in 27 days.

(5) Frederick Stimpson Hodges, b. 15 Oct., 1840. He was civil engineer in the construction of several Western railroads. He held a commission as lieutenant from the State of Iowa for brief service in 1861, and was for a year in service in the U. S. gunboat *Daylight* in the Atlantic blockading squadron.

(6) Almon Danforth Hodges, Jr., b. 16 July, 1843; H. C. 1864; Freiberg, Saxony, 1865–8; has performed a succession of remarkable investigations, developments, inventions and explorations in Mining Engineering and Metallurgy, which have enrolled his name in the highest rank of his profession. California, Nevada, Peru, Arizona, Mexico and other regions have been in turn the scenes of his diligent and brilliant operations. He is a member of various societies and clubs, technical and social, has written several valuable reports, translated some text books from the German, etc. [See article in N. Y. Eng. and Min. Jour., 18 July, 1891]. He m. 10 July, 1882, Bertha Louisa Bernard, of Oakland, Cal., b. 12 Aug., 1863, d. in 1884. Child: Frederic Stimson Hodges, b. 16 June, 1883.

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(7) Francis Olney Hodges, b. 16 May, 1846; d. 18 May, 1852.
(8) Carroll Hodges, b. 4 Oct., 1848; d. 4 Sept., 1849.
(9) Amory Glazier Hodges, b. 19 Dec., 1852; m. Alice, dau. of Robt. T. and Harriet (Davis) Woodward, b. 15 Jan., 1855.
(10) Edward Carroll Hodges, b. 24 Dec., 1855.

5. *Newton Sanford Hodges*, b. 25 Oct., 1802; d. 7 Jan., 1861; m. Susannah W. Lane.

Children of Newton and Susannah W. (Lane) Hodges:

(1) Emily Hodges, b. 1831; m. Seneca Sanford (firm of Estes and Lauriat, booksellers, Boston).
(2) Charles Hodges, b. and d. in 1834.
(3) Frank Newton Hodges, b. 1835.
(4) Sarah Hodges, b. 1838.
(5) David L. Hodges, b. 1841.

v. ANNA (Nancy), b. 19 March, 1770; d. 8 Sept., 1851; m. 1 Oct., 1794, George, son of Rev. Joseph and Sarah (Eames) Palmer, of Norton; he was b. 27 April, 1771, and d. at Sunkhays, Me., 26 Dec., 1809.

vi. EUNICE, b. 6 Dec., 1771; d. 15 Aug., 1852; m. 12 Nov., 1794, her cousin, Dea. Daniel Lane; b. 22 April, 1771; d. 1 Nov., 1857.

Children of Daniel and Anna (Danforth) Lane:

1. *Eunice Lane*, b. 18 July, 1796; d. unm., 24 Jan., 1825.
2. *Daniel Lane*, b. 4 Sept., 1797; m. Hannah (Bassett) Edson.
3. *Bradford Lane*, b. 19 April, 1799; d. 7 Dec., 1834.
4. *Lavinia Lane*, b. 14 March, 1801; m. 30 Jan., 1826, James Waterman Perry.
5. *Thomas Danforth Lane*, b. 14 March, 1803.
6. *Clarissa Lane*, b. 26 Sept., 1804; d. 7 Feb., 1825.
7. *Albert Lane*, b. 27 Sept., 1806; m. Elmira, dau. of James Godfrey, of Taunton.
8. *Ephraim Lane*, b. 1 April, 1809; m. 22 Sept., 1834, Almyra A. Chase.
9. *Harrison Lane*, b. 26 March, 1811; m. Mary Augusta Babbitt. Dau. Julia Babbitt Lane.
10. *Benjamin Copeland Lane*, b. 22 Dec., 1812.

82. vii. SAMUEL, b. 16 Oct., 1773.

viii. MARGARET, b. 5 Nov., 1775; d. 22 June, 1844; m. Hon. Samuel Metcalf Pond, of Bucksport, Me., judge of probate, Hancock co.

Children of Samuel M. and Margaret (Danforth) Pond:

1. *Orella Ann Pond*, b. 26 July, 1807; d. at Curacoa, 12 Feb., 1837; m. Dr. Thomas Thompson, son of Dr. Abraham R. T., of Charlestown.

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2. *Elijah Danforth Pond*, b. 26 Feb., 1809; d. at San Diego, Cal., Dec., 1849.
3. *George Pond, M.D.*, b. 24 Oct., 1810; d. at Bucksport, Me., 24 March, 1858; m. 24 June, 1846, Sarah, dau. of John Lee, Esq., of Bucksport. Grad. Bowd. Coll.
4. *Stephen Decatur Pond*, b. 12 Feb., 1813; d. 10 Oct., 1841.
5. *Samuel Metcalf Pond*, b. 3 Feb., 1815; d. N. Y., 18 April, 1875; m. 16 Dec., 1840, Harriet L. Pond, dau. of Dr. Oliver Pond, of New York.
6. *Margaret Pond*, b. 28 July, 1817; m. Joseph L. Stone, of Boston; d. 29 Feb., 1844.

83. ix. ASA, b. 6 April, 1779.
84. x. BENJAMIN, b. 27 Nov., 1782.
xi. CHARLES, b. 13 June, 1784; m. Susan Mansfield; d. in Norton, at the house of his brother Thomas, 12 Oct., 1821.

33.

JOHN[5] (*Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norwich, Conn., 12 March, 1740–1; died at Ellsworth, O., 31 Jan., 1799; married 10 Sept., 1767, Elizabeth Hartshorn, born 25 May, 1746. Resided at Norwich.

Children:

i. JOHN,[6] b. 5 Nov., 1768; became a physician; d. of consumption, in Norwich, 30 Oct., 1791.
86. ii. SAMUEL, b. 25 June, 1770.
iii. ELIZABETH, b. 22 Sept., 1771; son George H. Danforth, b. 29 May, 1806, was residing in 1866 with his aunt Sally.
iv. SARAH (Sally), b. 12 March, 1783; m. first, —— Baker; m. second, —— Converse, and resided in 1866 with stepson William Converse.
v. LYDIA, b. 18 Feb., 1786; d. 15 May, 1848; m. Joseph Tift, b. in 1798, at Kingston, R. I., d. at Ellsworth, O., 1873.

Children of Joseph and Lydia (Danforth) Tift:

1. *Lydia C. H. Tift*, b. at Ellsworth, O., in 1822; d. in Wisconsin in 1875; m. Amos Ives, of Wisconsin.
2. *Joseph A. Tift*, b. 17 March, 1827; d. at Southington, O., 16 Jan., 1890; m. (1) Fanny Morton; m. (2) Lucena E. Chalkers.

vi. MARY, b. 7 Aug., 1788; m. John Nichols, of Norwich.

35.

THOMAS[5] (*Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 8 July, 1735; died 1771; married 5 Aug., 1758, Abigail Fox; she died in 1772.

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Children:

i. REBECCA,[6] b. 25 April, 1759.
ii. HANNAH, b. 26 March, 1761.
87. iii. JOSEPH, b. 6 May, 1763.
[88. iv. JOHN; went to Enfield.]
v. SIBYL, b. 9 July, 1767.
89. vi. THOMAS, b. 28 Dec., 1771.

36.

CAPT. ELIJAH[5] (*Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 8 Aug., 1737; died about Nov., 1792; married 24 Nov., 1768, Elizabeth, daughter of David and Sarah (Danforth) Osgood, born 14 Feb., 1750. [See 16, Samuel.]

He was on the enlistment committee of the town; was a lieutenant in Capt. Jonathan Stickney's company, and with it at Bunker Hill.* Is said to have served in French and Indian war at Fort William Henry, in 1758. His estate was administered on 15 Nov., 1792, by Joseph Brown, of Tewksbury.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH[6] ("Betty"), b. 6 Dec., 1769.
ii. ELIJAH, born and died in 1772.
iii. MARY ("Molly"), b. 14 Oct., 1773.
iv. ELIJAH, b. 23 Oct., 1776.
v. TIMOTHY, b. 16 May, 1780.
vi. FRANCIS, b. 3 Oct., 1782.
vii. CHARLES (posthumous), b. 9 May, 1793.

* His full service is thus officially indicated: Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's company, Col. Bridge's regt. of minute men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 6 days; also Lieutenant, same co.; list of officers to be commissioned; ordered in Provincial Congress May 27, 1775, that commissions be delivered said officers; also 1st Lieutenant same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; engaged April 25, 1775; service, 3 months, 14 days; also company return, dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; also 1st Lieut. Capt. Abishai Brown's co.; list of officers granted beating orders by Provincial Congress April 11, 1776, for enlisting men to serve in a regiment to be raised to fortify the town and harbor of Boston; said Danforth granted orders for Middlesex Co.; also Captain, Col. Thos. Nixon's (6th) reg.; Continental Army, pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to Feb. 1, 1779; reported retired as a supernumerary Feb. 1, 1779; also, 8th co. Col. Nixon's (4th) regt.; muster roll dated Van Schaick's Island, Sept. 2, 1777, and sworn to in camp near Stillwater; appointed Jan. 1, 1777; also, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Nov. and Dec., 1777, dated Albany; also, same regt.; pay abstracts for rations from July 1, 1777, to Jan. 1, 1778, dated Albany; also, 8th co., Col. Nixon's regt.; muster roll made up from Jan. 3, 1778, to May 4, 1778; also, same regt.; return of officers for clothing; receipt for said clothing dated Boston, April 30, 1778; also, same regt; return of officers for clothing dated Boston, Nov. 24, 1778; reported deranged Nov. 17, 1778; also, same regt.; return of men in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777, certified in camp near Peekskill, Feb. 16, 1779; also, order for gratuity, payable to William Stickney, Esqr., signed by said Danforth, dated Billerica, Sept. 26, 1779.

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37.

JONATHAN[5] (*Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 10 Nov., 1714; died in Hollis, N. H., 3 March, 1747; married in Hollis, 24 May, 1743, Anna (was she not a daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Abbot?) Blanchard, born 22 Nov., 1722?) He was a selectman of Hollis, 1746; a town officer at its first town meeting.

Children:

i. ANNA,[6] b. 7 Feb., 1744; m. 7 Feb., 1765, James Laws, b. 12 March, 1742.

Children of James and Anna (Danforth) Laws:

1. *Elizabeth Laws*, b. 28 July, 1766.
2. *Anna Laws*, b. 18 Feb., 1768.

90. ii. JONATHAN, b. 20 July, 1745.
91. iii. DAVID, b. 24 Jan., 1747.

38.

BENJAMIN[5] (*Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 8 Dec., 1724; died at Hillsboro, N. H., 10 Oct., 1816; married 7 April, 1750, Mary, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Stearns) Frost, born 20 April, 1727. He was a blacksmith. Tradition says he was at Lexington with his son Jonathan; that his wife and another son sat up all night running bullets.* He was one of the first settlers of Hillsboro, N. H.

Children:

* The entries in Mass. Archives relating to Benjamin Danforth and Benjamin, Jr., all seem to belong to No. 38 and his son, No. 92; only one contains the definite term "Jr."; they are presented in order of time, without any attempt at dividing the honors. "Tewksbury. Private in a company commanded by Lieut. Thomas Clark, Col. Green's regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 2 days." "Private, Capt. Solomon Pollard's co. of Minute Men, Col. Green's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 8 days." "Benjamin, Jr. Private, detachment from Lexington militia company under command of John Bridge; service, from May 11 to May 15, 1775, 5 days, at Cambridge, by order of the Committee of Safety." "Billerica. Private, Capt. Solomon Kidder's co., Col. Brooks' regt.; return of men in service at White Plains, endorsed '1776';" "Lexington. List of men drafted from militia to march to Horse Neck under command of Col. Brooks [year not given], but who failed to join regt.; reported drafted into Capt. Hunt's co." "Private, Capt. Abishai Brown's co., Col. John Robinson's regt.; enlisted Aug. 1, 1777; service, 5 months, 4 days, at Rhode Island." "Private, Capt. Joseph Bradley Varnum's co., Col. McIntosh's regt., Brig. Gen. Lovell's brigade; enlisted July 29, 1778; discharged Sept. 11, 1778; service, 1 month, 18 days, travel included, on expedition to Rhode Island; roll dated Dracut."

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92. i. BENJAMIN,[6] b. 23 May, 1751.
ii. MARY, b. 21 Sept., 1752; m. 28 March, 1775, Timothy Levistone, son of Seth and Mary (Sprake) Levistone, of Billerica, b. 13 Feb., 1750.

Children of Timothy and Mary (Danforth) Levistone:

1. *Mary Levistone*, b. 23 Dec., 1777; m. 7 Jan., 1798, John Lane, and had children George and Timothy Lane.
2. *Timothy Levistone*, b. 9 Oct., 1779.
3. *Alice Levistone*, b. Jan., 1783.
4. *Julia Levistone*, b. 9 May, 1785; m. William Kittredge.
5. *Jepthah Levistone*, b. Nov., 1787.

92a. iii. JONATHAN, b. 20 July, 1754.
92b. iv. SAMUEL, b. 24 Aug., 1756.
v. ELIZABETH, born same day.
vi. ABEL, b. 13 March, 1758; d. unm. in the army, at Crown Point, of small pox, 14 July, 1776.
vii. ANNA, b. 7 Sept., 1759; m. Thomas Levistone.
93. viii. PETER, b. 25 May, 1761.
ix. AARON, b. 4 March, 1763; d. 20 Sept., 1765.
x. ABIGAIL, born and died in 1766.
xi. ABIAL, b. 16 May, 1767; d. 5 April, 1792.
xii. AARON, b. 6 Oct., 1768; d. 3 Sept., 1775.
[xiii. REBECCA.]

## 39.

LIEUT. JOSEPH[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 30 June, 1720; died 30 March, 1795; married Mary A., daughter of Andrew and Hannah (Jeffs) Richardson, born 26 May, 1722, died 1 Dec., 1789. He removed to Dunstable, the part now Tyngsborough, where he became a leading citizen.

"Joseph Danforth, of Tyngsborough, gent," made will 20 Dec., 1794; prob. 21 April, 1795; bequeathed to "my children being five in number," viz.: "Mary Taylor, Abigail Farwell, Hannah Taylor, Lucy Lund and Josiah Danforth"; mentions deceased children Rebecca Whitney ("who left no child"); Rhoda, wife of Theodore French, whose portion had been paid; and bequeathed to daughter-in-law Sarah and grandchildren Joseph and Josiah D. (to each of whom he gave a "firelock fowling piece," adding his "desk" to Joseph's portion), and Mary D.

Children:

i. MARY,[6] b. 5 Feb., 1745; d. 5 Dec., 1813; m. 8 Jan., 1766, Jonas Taylor, b. at Dunstable, 30 Nov., 1739, d. 15 Dec., 1823.

Child:

*Danforth Taylor*, b. 30 Oct., 1769; d. at Stoddard, N. H., 4 Jan., 1858.

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ii. ABIGAIL, b. 10 Aug., 1748; m. —— Farwell.
iii. HANNAH, b. 20 Aug., 1751; m. 15 May, 1778, Jacob Taylor.
iv. JOSEPH, b. 19 May, 1754. "Joseph Danforth, Jr., of Dunstable," was a "private in Capt. Leonard Butterfield's co., Col. Eben. Bridges' regt. of Minute Men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; left place of rendezvous April 28, 1775; service 10 days." [Mass. Arch.]
94. v. JOSIAH, b. 8 Jan., 1757.
vi. REBECCA, b. 5 March, 1759; d. 12 Feb., 1794; m. 23 June, 1779, Lieut. Benjamin Whitney.
vii. LUCY, b. 6 Jan., 1766; m. 25 Aug., 1785, Stephen Lund. He d. 20 May, 1821.
viii. RHODA, b. 22 April, 1769; d. 20 May, 1790; m. 4 Oct., 1781 *(sic)*, Theodore French, of Dunstable.
Children of Theodore and Rhoda (Danforth) French:
1. *Rhoda French*, b. 9 July, 1782.
2. *Joseph French*, b. 22 Nov., 1783.
3. *Rebecca French*, b. 4 June, 1785.
4. *Theodore French*, b. 19 Dec., 1786.
5. *Jacob French*, b. 24 Oct., 1789; d. 15 April, 1790.

## 40.

SAMUEL[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 24 June, 1722; married 11 Feb., 1747–8, Mary, daughter of Seth Ross, of Billerica, born 1 Oct., 1726. Resided in Billerica.

Children:

i. MARY,[6] b. 15 June, 1749.
94-1.ii. SAMUEL, b. 28 Sept., 1752.
iii. SARAH, b. 5 Jan., 1755.
iv. SARAH, b. 30 April, 1757.
v. REBECCA, b. 3 Dec., 1759.
vi. SETH,* b. 3 June, 1762; m. Judith Dunkin. Was a Revolutionary soldier.

* SETH. Descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for the term of 6 months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justin Ely, Commissioner, by Maj. Peter Harwood of 6th Mass. regt., at Springfield, July 3, 1780; age, 19 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Billerica; marched to camp July 3, 1780, under command of Lieut. Daniel Frye of the artificers; *also*, pay roll for 6 months men raised by the town of Billerica for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 29, 1780; discharged July 18, 1780; service, 1 mo.; reported 220 miles from home; *also*, receipt dated Billerica, June 18, 1781, for bounties paid said Danforth and others, on behalf of several classes of the town of Billerica, to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 3 years; *also* descriptive list of men raised in Middlesex Co., agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780, as returned by Joseph Hosmer, Superintendent for the said county; age, 18 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. ¾ in.; complexion, light; hair, light; eyes, blue; occupation, farmer; engaged for town of Billerica; engaged March 29, 1781; term, 3 years.

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94-2.vii. JOSIAH, b. 4 July, 1765; baptismal record calls him "Isaac."
94a. viii. JOSEPH, b. 3 June, 1767.
ix. ZADOC, b. 26 Aug., 1770; was owner of certain books or pamphlets which had come down in the Danforth family, now in possession of A. M. Dorrs, of Lowell, in one of which is written:

"Zadock Danforth, his book 1781.
Mary Danforth her book 1787.
John Piper is to have this book when he comes to be a man that is 21 yrs of age.
John Piper left Zadock Danforth.
Sarah Danforth her book 1794
Polly Danforth."

## 41.

THOMAS[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 11 May, 1724; removed to Dunstable, and later to Tyringham; married 16 Oct., 1744, Sarah Butterfield, of Chelmsford. He was a Revolutionary soldier.*

Children:

95. i. THOMAS,[6] b. 20 Feb., 1744–5.
96. ii. ASA, b. 25 July, 1746.
97. iii. JOHN, b. 17 Feb., 1748.
iv. SARAH, b. 18 June, 1749; m. 11 June, 1772, Daniel Dodge, b. in Salem, 23 May, 1743, d. 1805; private in battle of Lexington, according to Hist. Palmer. Resided at Palmer.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Danforth) Dodge:

1. *Sarah Dodge*, b. 18 Sept., 1773.
2. *Betsey Dodge*, b. 9 July, 1775; m. Dec., 1794, Philip Reynolds, b. at Fonda, N. Y., 7 Feb., 1767; d. 7 July, 1837; she d. 18 April, 1859.

* THOMAS (DANFORD). Corporal, Capt. Noah Lankton's co., Col. Mark Hopkin's (1st Berkshire County) regt.; entered service July 15, 1776; discharged July 31, 1776; service, 17 days, on expedition to the Highlands, N. Y., by order of Brig. Gen. John Fellows.

THOMAS. [In] (Late) Capt. George King's co., Col. Benjamin Simond's detachment of Berkshire Co. militia; enlisted Dec. 16, 1776; discharged March 24, 1777; service, 98 days at Ticonderoga; *also*, Corporal, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Ticonderoga, Feb. 25, 1777; enlistment to expire March 15, 1777; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Ezekiel Hearick's co., Col. John Ashley's regt., Brig. Gen. Fellows' (Berkshire Co.) brigade; entered service Sept. 22, 1777; discharged Oct. 10, 1777; service, 19 days; company ordered out by Maj. Gen. Gates to reinforce Northern Army; roll certified at Tyringham; *also*, private, Capt. Hearick's co., Col. Ashley's regt.; enlisted Oct. 13, 1781; discharged Oct. 20, 1781; service. 12 days, travel included; company marched from Berkshire Co. under command of Lieut. Col. John Collar, by order of Col. John Ashley, Jr., on an alarm.

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Children of Philip and Betsey (Dodge) Reynolds:

(1) Philip Reynolds, Jr., b. 16 Sept., 1797; m. Louise Richard; was a lawyer in New York city.
(2) Clara Reynolds, b. 2 Nov., 1803; m. Samuel Maverick.
(3) Sarah Reynolds, b. 1 Oct., 1805; m. Jacob Burke.
(4) Elizabeth Reynolds, b. 2 March, 1808; m. Richard John Everett; whose gr. dau. Mrs. Helen Elizabeth (Townsend) Yard, has contributed valuable information of this branch.
(5) Peter Reynolds, b. 4 June, 1810; m. Louisa Churchill.
(6) Mary Reynolds, b. 10 Aug., 1812; m. Dr. Abram Ten Eyck Hilton.
(7) Nancy Reynolds, b. 24 Sept., 1814.
(8) Alexander Reynolds, b. 22 Nov., 1817.
(9) Jane D. Reynolds, b. 20 Sept., 1819; m. Alfred Wheeler.

3. *Fanny Dodge*, b. 8 July, 1776.
4. *Lucy Dodge*, b. 4 Feb., 1778.
5. *Daniel Danforth Dodge*, b. 14 June, 1779.
6. *Nabby Dodge*, b. 28 Aug., 1780.
7. *John Dodge*, b. 19 March, 1784.
8. *Francis Dodge*, b. 25 Sept., 1785.

v. SAMUEL, b. at Dunstable, 20 July, 1751.
97*a*. vi. JONATHAN, b. 21 Dec., 1752.
97*b*. vii. RUFUS, b. date unknown.

## 42.

JOHN[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 14 Feb., 1730; removed to Andover; married 6 March, 1755, by Rev. Samuel Phillips, Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel and Sarah Wilson, of Bill., born 10 Oct., 1732. [Compare with Nos. 48a and 98.]

Child:

98. JOHN, Jr.,[6] b. 23 July, 1756.

## 43.

JOSHUA[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 24 Feb., 1732; removed to Woburn; married 25 July, 1754, in W., Kezia, daughter of John and Kezia (Wyman) Reed, born 8 Jan., 1736.

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Children:

99. i. JOSHUA,[6] b. 14 Dec., 1754.
ii. KEZIA, b. 11 Aug., 1757.
iii. LUCY, b. 23 Feb., 1759; d. 14 June, 1853; m. in 1782, William, son of William and Lydia Sweetser, b. 9 April, 1759; d. 23 une, 1847.

Children of William and Lucy (Danforth) Sweetser:

1. *Lucy Sweetser*, b. 10 Jan., 1783: m. 9 April, 1805, Joseph, son of Benj. Bullard and Anne (Mansfield) Raddin.
2. *Nancy Sweetser*, b. 15 Jan., 1785; d. 10 Jan., 1805; m. 24 April, 1803, Samuel, son of Samuel and Hannah Copp, b. in 1782, d. 8 March, 1844.
3. *Sophia Sweetser*, b. 19 Jan., 1787; d. Dec., 1825; m. 3 April, 1806, Samuel Copp, above (second wife).
4. *William Sweetser*, b. 29 May, 1789; d. 17 Nov., 1858; m. 1813, Judith, dau. of Jona. and Abby (Rogers) Bond.
5. *Henry Sweetser*, b. 12 Aug., d. 3 Oct., 1791.
6. *Charles Sweetser*, b. 12 May, 1793; d. 24 July, 1865; m. 29 Aug., 1815, Nancy, dau. of Richard and Eliza Mansfield, b. in 1792, d. 3 Oct., 1835; m. (2) 28 Feb., 1836, Sally (Raddin) Bond, b. 19 Feb., 1797; d. 2 May, 1873; widow of Jona. Bond.
7. *Sally Sweetser*, b. 1 Sept., 1795; d. 1 Dec., 1882; m. 19 Nov., 1818, Milton, son of Jona. and Abby (Rogers) Bond, b. 17 April, 1798, d. 12 May, 1884.
8. *John Sweetser*, b. 30 Sept., 1797; m. 1816, Lydia, dau. of Jona. and Abby (Rogers) Bond, b. 1802, d. 15 Feb., 1865.

iv. POLLY, b. 1761; m. 2 May, 1784, in Salem, Ebenezer Symonds.
v. DOROTHY, b. 1763; d. 8 May, 1819; m. 23 Jan., 1783, Benjamin Sweetser, b. 1761, d. 8 May, 1819.
vi. ELIZABETH.
vii. PERSIS, b. 1766; m. Benjamin, son of Lt. John and Ruth (Richardson) Gerry, b. Stoneham, 1 Sept., 1767; d. about 1847. [Richardson Genealogy.]
viii. SARAH (Sally), b. at Lynn, 8 Aug., 1768; m. in Boston, 26 Feb., 1788, William, son of Dr. Wm. and Catherine (Nichols) Stimpson.

Children of William and Sarah (Danforth) Stimpson:

1. *Sarah Ann Stimpson*, b. 6 May, 1790; m. James Sherck.

Children of James and Sarah A. (Stimpson) Sherck:

(1) William Sherck. (3) Augustus Sherck.
(2) Adeline Sherck. (4) Eliza Sherck.

2. *William Danforth Stimpson*, b. 1792; d. unm., 22 Oct., 1816.

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8. *George Washington Stimpson*, b. 20 Feb., 1794; d. at Wakefield, 13 Dec., 1876; m. 9 Feb., 1818, Susan Johnson.

Children of Geo. W. and Susan (Johnson) Stimpson:

(1) Susan Munroe Stimpson, b. 7 Aug., 1818; d. 19 June, 1864; m. Elbridge M. Stowell.
(2) George Stimpson, b. 20 Jan., 1820; m. Martha A. Abby.
(3) Sarah Danforth Stimpson, b. 14 Feb., 1822; d. in June, 1834.
(4) Catherine Nichols Stimpson, b. 16 March, 1824.
(5) Mary Jane Stimpson, b. 3 Feb., 1826.
(6) William Wheeler Stimpson, b. 10 June, 1828; d. 1834.
(7) Eliza J. Stimpson, b. 27 Feb., 1830; m. 1 Nov., 1856, Solomon Smith.
(8) David Johnson Stimpson, b. 10 April, 1832; d. 1834.
(9) Joseph Boynton Stimpson, b. 10 Sept., 1834; m. Emily F. Lord.
(10) Harriet Adeline Stimpson, b. 22 Aug., 1836.
(11) James William Stimpson, b. 19 June, 1840; served in U. S. army; taken prisoner at Gettysburg; d. in prison.
(12) Sarah Abby Bates Stimpson, b. 1 Feb., 1843.

ix. JOSEPH, b. at Lynn, 25 May, 1771.
100. x. BENJAMIN b. at Lynn, 21 Feb., 1773.

## 44.

JONATHAN[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 14 June, 1736; died at Williamstown, Feb., 1802; married first, at Warren, 22 April, 1759, Lydia, daughter of Nathaniel and Phebe (Lamb) Reed, born 13 March, 1736, died 9 Aug., 1769. (Her father was born in Sudbury, 6 Oct., 1702, and died at Warren, 9 June, 1785.) He removed to Western (now Warren) and resided there and in Williamstown. The following official memoranda of Revolutionary service are of great interest:

JONATHAN, Western. Sergeant, Capt. Reuben Read's co. of minute-men, Col. Jonathan Warner's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Roxbury; service, 17 days; *also*, Captain, Col. David Brewer's regt.; list of officers in camp at Roxbury; recommended in Committee of Safety June 12 and June 17, 1775, that said officers be commissioned by Congress; *also*, Captain, Col. Brewer's (9th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; engaged April 24, 1775; service, 3 mos. 15 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1773; *also*, Captain, 8th co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's regt.; muster roll dated Camp at Ticonderoga, Nov. 27, 1776; appointed Jan. 1, 1775; reported re-engaged Nov. 14, 1776, as Captain in Col.

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Wigglesworth's regt., but to continue in Col. Whitcomb's regt. until Dec. 31, 1776; *also*, list of Captains in Col. Whitcomb's regt. from whose companies articles were stolen on the evening of Dec. 25, 1776.

JONATHAN (DANTHROP). Capt., Col. Whitcomb's regt.; return of sentences by a court-martial, Lt. Col. Brown president, appearing in a general order dated Headquarters, Ticonderoga, Sept. 11, 1776, taken from Col. Wheelock's Orderly Book; said Danthrop tried on charge of disobedience, neglect of duty, failure to join regt. when he marched from Boston to No. 4, and for keeping privates belonging to the regt. without leave from the commanding officer; found not guilty and acquitted with honor.

He married second, 13 Sept., 1770, Miriam, daughter of [Andrew?] Coowie, of Western.

Children:

101. i. JOSHUA,[6] b. 26 Nov., 1759.

102. ii. JONATHAN, b. 2 March, 1761.

iii. LYDIA, b. 17 Dec., 1762; d. at Keeseville, N. Y., 5 June, 1847; m. at Williamstown, 8 Dec., 1783, William, son of Jonathan and Delight (Williams) Woodward; b. at Plainfield, Conn., 29 Aug., 1760; d. 30 April, 1833.

Children of William and Lydia (Danforth) Woodward:

1. *Sarah Woodward*, b. 2 July, 1784; d. at Fairfax, Vt., 10 Oct., 1811; m. at Rutland, Sept., 1801, James, son of Capt. Joseph Farnsworth, of Middletown, Conn.
2. *Lydia Read Woodward*, b. 2 July, 1786; d. 12 April, 1802.
3. *Charlotte Woodward*, b. 27 March, 1788; m. at Fairfax, 29 Dec., 1807, Hiram, son of Josiah Safford, of Norwich, Conn., b. 1 June, 1786.
4. *Abigail Woodward*, b. at Hebron, N. Y., 28 March, 1790; d. 2 Sept., 1791.
5. *William Danforth Woodward*, b. 12 Aug., 1792.
6. *Eliza Woodward*, b. at Castleton, Vt., 4 July, 1794; m. Almon, son of Zalmon Wheeler, who rem. about 1778, from Fairfield, Conn., to Fairfield, Vt., of which he was first settler, and there died.
7. *George Douglas Woodward*, b. 16 May, 1796; d. 11 Aug., 1798.
8. *Cornelia*, } *Woodward*, b. 28 July, 1798; d. 7 Oct., 1798.
9. *Delia*, } *Woodward*, b. 28 July, 1798; d.
10. *Marilla*, } *Woodward*, b. 28 July, 1798; d.
11. *George Clinton Woodward*, b. 18 March, 1801.
12. *Jonathan Douglas Woodward*, b. Granville, N. Y., 4 June, 1804.

iv. DOLLY, b. 17 April, 1765; d. 22 Oct., 1841; m. Ebenezer Billings, who rem. from Montague, Mass., to Cambridge, N. Y.; farmer. House still standing in 1892.

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Children of Ebenezer and Dolly (Danforth) Billings:

1. *Laura Billings*, b. 3 March, 1788; d. 10 March, 1844; m. Robert Simpson.
2. *Sophia Billings*, b. 1790; d. 11 July, 1853; m. about 1837, Luther Smead.
3. *Danforth Billings*, b. 1793; d. 12 Aug., 1795.
4. *Danforth Billings*, b. 29 June, 1796; studied for the ministry; was lic. (Episc.) in Jan., 1824; detained in N. Y., for opening of river navigation, took varioloid, d. and was bur. 3 weeks before parents knew; d. 29 June, 1824.
5. *Selina Billings*, b. 23 Oct., 1801; d. 1 Sept., 1886; m. 6 March, 1823, Thomas Rice, b. in Wellington, Ct., 27 July, 1795; d. Cambridge, N. Y., 8 Feb., 1859.

   Children of Thomas and Selina (Billings) Rice:

   (1) Mary Nye Rice, b. 24 Jan., 1824; m. 19 Oct., 1853, Martin D. Hubbard (his second wife).
   (2) Sophia Billings Rice, b. 24 June, 1826; d. 2 Dec., 1848; m. 10 May, 1847, Martin D. Hubbard.
   (3) George Rice, b. 1830, d. 1831.
   (4) Henry Danforth Rice, b. 17 Aug., 1832; m. 17 Aug., 1859, Sarah E. Barton; hotel at Doon, Lyon co., Ia.

v. PHEBE, b. 15 Aug., 1767; d. at Medway, 8 Sept., 1843; m. Barnabas Carey, Jr., b. in Attleboro, 1760; a blacksmith; made springs for weavers' shuttles; removed several times in Mass., N. Y., and N. H., returning to Mass. about 1818. He d. at Medway, 24 Feb., 1838.

Children of Barnabas and Phebe (Danforth) Cary:

1. *Pamela Cary*, b. Williamstown, 2 Aug., 1788; d. N. Wrentham, 10 June, 1865; m. 20 May, 1814, Darius (Josiah, Josiah, Nathaniel, Robert) Ware, b. 21 Aug., 1789; d. 18 March, 1857.
2. *Betsey Cary*, b. Sunderland, 22 Aug., 1790; d. 16 May, 1874; m. 5 May, 1811, William (Benjamin, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, Robert) Ware, b. at Wrentham, 20 Oct., 1784; d. 3 Dec., 1856. [See Ware Genealogy].
3. *John Cary*, b. Greenfield, Vt., 22 Nov., 1793; d. Parishville, N. J., 11 Jan., 1885; m. 16 Oct., 1819, Hannah Hale, b. at Warren, R. I.; d. at P., 25 Aug., 1881.
4. *Lydia Reed Cary*, b. Milltown, N. Y., 11 March, 1796; d. Medway, 22 June, 1856; m. Benjamin Cummings, b. at Wrentham, 16 Nov., 1795; d. Medway, 21 March, 1863.
5. *Charlotte Cary*, b. 16 Aug., 1798; d. Attleboro, 29 April, 1802.

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6. *Barnabas Cary*, b. Pawtucket, R. I., 10 Aug., 1800; m. Kezia Green; d. *en route* to California, Sept., 1850.
7. *Clarissa Danforth Cary*, b. Attleboro, 6 March, 1803; d. Norfolk, Mass., 29 May, 1872; m. 10 May, 1823, Judson, son of Elias and Hannah (Baker) Harding, b. Medfield, 11 Jan., 1800, d. 5 Nov., 1847.
8. *William Hiram Cary*, b. 29 March, 1805; d. 23 June, 1888; m. (1) Lydia Daniels Lovell, b. E. Medway, 27 Feb., 1810, d. 1 Sept., 1883. He m. (2) Mrs. Harriet (Baker) White, b. 29 May, 1810, d. 20 April, 1892.
9. *Samuel Danforth Cary*, b. 20 June, 1807; d. 7 Sept., 1810.
10. *Charlotte Ann Cary*, b. 28 May, 1810; d. 25 March, 1812.
11. *Mary Ann Short Cary*, b. Rindge, N. H., 9 Jan., 1813; m. 9 April, 1837, Charles Barnes, son of Jonathan Whitney, b. 16 April, 1814.

vi. HANNAH, b. 1 March, 1772; d. of consumption about 1786.
vii. COOWIE, b. in Williamstown, 24 April, 1774; d. 10 May, 1775.
103. viii. COOWIE, b. in Williamstown, 19 Jan., 1776.
104. ix. KEYES, b. 6 June, 1778.
x. CLARISSA, b. 12 Jan., 1783; d. at Stafford, N. Y., 18 Nov., 1830; m. 25 Nov., 1800, John Hickox, of Williamstown, who rem. to Stafford; b. 26 May, 1781; d. 10 Sept., 1843.

Children of John and Clarissa [Danforth] Hickox:

1. *Miriam Hickox*, b. 15 July, 1801.
2. *Harriet Hickox*, b. 16 Feb., 1803; m. 18 May, 1825, Rev. Milton Huxley, of New Marlborough, Mass.; rem. to Neenah, Winnebago Co. Wis.; he was b. 29 July, 1794; Mrs. Huxley, in her 80th year, supplied information of her father's family.
3. *Clarissa Danforth Hickox*, b. 15 May, 1805; d. 31 July, 1881; m. 2 March, 1826, Albert Huxley, of New Marlboro; b. 24 Dec., 1802; d. at Neenah, 20 Aug., 1880.
4. *Eliza Abigail Hickox*, b. 20 June, 1808; d. 25 Oct., 1827; m. 12 Sept., 1826, Alfred Monroe, of Williamstown.
5. *John Robinson Hickox*, b. 24 Sept., 1810; d. 15 March, 1876; m. 1 Sept., 1835, Emma Porter, of Syracuse. Res. Chicago, Ill.
6. *Almira Hickox*, b. 16 Oct., 1812; m. Thomas Humphrey, of Michigan; res. California.
7. *Catherine Jane Hickox*, b. 4 June, 1814; m. 13 Jan., 1836, Edwin Hodges, of Torrington, Conn., b. 1810, d. 23 July, 1884, of heart disease. Res. Winterset, Ia.; many years cashier of Wood's Bank.

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8. *Wells Gridley Hickox*, b. 12 Sept., 1817; m. 1 Jan., 1838, Elizabeth Brooks; res. Adams, Hillsdale Co., Mich.
9. *George Hickox*, b. and d. 1819.
10. *Hannah Hickox*, b. 17 Oct., 1821; m. 11 March, 1840, Robert Winegar, of Rowe; res. Lowell, Mich.
11. *Frances Amelia Hickox*, b. 10 Feb., 1824; d. 20 Feb., 1877; m. 22 Aug., 1844, Le Grand Rockwell; res. Elkhorn, Wis.
12. *Danforth Billings Hickox*, b. 1 May, 1826; d. 4 Sept., 1830.

105. xi. WILLIAM WOODWARD, b. 13 June, 1787.

45.

WILLIAM[5] (*Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 25 Aug., 1720; died 5 March, 1743–4; married 17 Feb., 1742, Abigail, daughter of Benjamin and Susanna (Baldwin) Walker, of Billerica, born 23 April, 1724. After his death she married second, 30 Jan., 1745–6, Peter Hill, and had eight children.

Child:

ABIGAIL,[6] b. 12 June, 1743; [married Jonas Gleason, of Bedford].

46.

JACOB[5] (*Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 13 Aug., 1723; died 9 Nov., 1748; married 26 Dec., 1745, Martha, daughter of William and Hannah (Ross) Crosby, born 12 Jan., 1725. She survived her husband and married second, 23 Jan., 1754, Matthew Mead, of Lexington.

The estate of Jacob Danforth, late of Billerica, blacksmith, was administered upon 2 Jan., 1748, by his widow Martha; the Inventory was taken 20 Dec., account rendered 19 Nov., 1753. She was allowed for "bringing up the children till the eldest arrived at the age of 7 years." She asked to have Nathaniel Davidson appointed guardian to Jacob and Jesse, both under 14 years of age, 5 Jan., 1753–4. In Davidson's account there is an allowance for "Cash paid Lt. Wm. Manning for their part of the maintenance of old Mrs. Foster, their Grandmother; for taking care of Jesse and finding a place for him; £3:10 for 1 pair shirts for Jacob"; etc., for "settling with Ephraim Crosby, Jacob's master"; cash paid Doctor Danforth their late guardian, etc. This refers to their uncle Timothy Danforth, physician, who was appointed their guardian 14 Jan., 1762.

Children:

106. i. JACOB,[6] b. 17 Aug., 1746.
107. ii. JESSE, b. 26 May, 1748.

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47.

DAVID[5] (*Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 21 Dec., 1727; married May 17, 1750, Joanna, daughter of Benjamin and Abiah Shed. Resided at Billerica.*

Children:

i. PATTY,[6] b. 26 May, 1751; m. 29 Oct., 1771, Zaccheus Walker [Chelmsford records].

108. ii. DAVID, b. 26 Nov., 1752.

iii. JOANNA, b. 31 March, 1754.

109. iv. SOLOMON, b. 12 Jan., 1756.

110. v. WILLIAM, b. 31 July, 1757.

111. vi. ASA, b. 15 Dec., 1759.

vii. RACHEL, b. 15 Dec., 1761; m. 24 Nov., 1784, John, son of John and Martha Shed, b. 7 March, 1760.

Children of John and Rachel (Danforth) Shed:

1. *Rachel Shed*, b. 24 Jan., 1786.
2. *Esther Shed*, b. 26 Nov., 1787.
3. *Martha Shed*, b. 3 June, 1788.
4. *Lucy Shed*, b. 23 Nov., 1789.

viii. REBECCA, b. 20 July, 1764; m. 18 Dec., 1783, Wm. McCluer.

Children of Wm. and Rebecca (Danforth) McCluer:

1. *Martha McCluer*, b. 13 April, 1784.
2. *William McCluer*, b. 9 July, 1786; m. Mary Danforth, dau. of Solomon, 109.
3. *Samuel McCluer*, b. 11 Dec., 1789.
4. *Elizabeth McCluer*, b. 23 Nov., 1791.
5. *Mary McCluer*, b. 28 Sept., 1795.
6. *Francis McCluer*, b. 18 Aug., 1799.

112. ix. JACOB, b. 27 Feb., 1766.

113. x. JOHN, b. 27 Oct., 1768.

xi. HANNAH, b. 10 Nov., 1770; d. 24 Oct., 1857; m. 23 Feb., 1790, John McCluer, b. about 1756, d. 12 Sept., 1834.

Children of John and Hannah (Danforth) McCluer.

1. *John McCluer*, b. 1 May, 1790; d. 21 March, 1857; m. Mary Boutwell.
2. *Thomas McCluer*, b. 14 Oct., 1791; d. 15 Oct., 1851; m. Sally Brown, of Townshend, Vt.
3. *Asa McCluer*, b. 28 Aug., 1793; d. 1886; m. Mary (Polly) Allen, of Charlestown. N. H. Child, Mary Ann McCluer, m. Enoch S. Rand, and res. in Lowell.
4. *David McCluer*, b. 18 Oct., 1795; d. Feb., 1837.
5. *Hannah McCluer*, b. 22 Nov., 1797; d. 16 Aug., 1837; m. Jesse Crosby (his first wife).

* DAVID, Billerica. Private, Capt. Moses Barns's co., Lieut. Col. Peirce's regt.; enlisted May 17, 1779; service to July 1, 1779, 1 mo. 14 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment, 2 months. [See also No. 108.]

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6. *Cynthia McCluer*, b. 9 Feb., 1800; d. in Medford, Mass., 1840; m. Capt. John T. White, of M.
7. *Lois McCluer*, b. 17 June, 1802; d. 25 Dec., 1831; m. Thomas P. Hart.
8. *Joanna McCluer*, b. 3 April. 1804; d. at Tewksbury, 2 Feb., 1871; m. Henry Eaton.
9. *Rachel McCluer*, b. 26 Feb., 1806; d. 7 Sept., 1880; m. Henry Wier, of Medford.
10. *Martha McCluer*, b. 30 April, 1808; m. Sept., 1837; Samuel F. Tufts, of Charlestown; he d. in May, 1869.
11. *Mary McCluer*, b. 23 May, 1810; d. in Cincinnati, O., May, 1873; m. Jacob Dreisbach, of C.
12. *Fanny McCluer*, b. 25 Oct., 1812; m. Jesse Crosby, of Nashua, N. H. (his second wife).
13. *Benjamin McCluer*, b. 8 May, 1814; d. in 1836.

48.

TIMOTHY, M.D.[5] (*Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 11 Nov., 1729; died 21 June, 1792; married 5 June, 1755, Sarah, daughter of Thomas and Miriam (Stearns) Patten, born 24 Aug., 1735. He was appointed guardian to Jacob and Jesse, children of his deceased brother Jacob, 14 Jan., 1762. He wrote a poem in 1792 on the death of Rebecca Farmer. [Farmer Genealogy, in Genealogical REGISTER, Vol. 1, page 29.] He made will 6 Feb., presented for probate 30 Nov., 1792; beq. to wife; daughters Sarah Danforth, Orpha Whiting and Julia Spaulding; to the latter a "desk which I had of Dr. Kneeland"; a Bible to each grandchild. Will ruled out by judge of Probate, because the testator had had a single word altered after the formal signing of the will.

Children:

i. SARAH,[6] b. 20 Feb., 1756; m. 13 Sept., 1778, Nathan Russ.

ii. ORPHA, b. 7 June, 1758; d. 10 March, 1837; m. 24 May, 1785, John Whiting, of Lancaster, Mass., b. 24 Feb., 1760; d. at Washington, D. C., 3 Sept., 1810. He was an officer in the Revolutionary army Lieut. Col. of 4th Infantry, 1808; Col. 5th Inf., 1809.

Children of Col. John and Orpha (Danforth) Whiting:

1. *Timothy Danforth Whiting*, b. 8 Dec., 1785; d. 1851.
2. *Julia Whiting*, b. 9 May, 1787; d. 1817.
3. *Henry Whiting*, b. 28 Nov., 1788; d. at St. Louis, Mo., 16 Sept., 1851; after a brief clerkship in the dry goods store of Amos Lawrence in Boston, he was appointed Cornet of dragoons, 1808; was distinguished at the capture of Fort George, May, 1813; after repeated promotions was made Brevet Brig. General for

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service at Buena Vista, Feb., 1847, and Quartermaster General of Gen. Taylor's army in Mexico. Was the author of several literary works.

4. *Sophia Whiting*, b. 26 April, 1790; d. 1853.
5. *Fabius Whiting*, b. 10 May, 1792; d. 1842.
6. *Maria Whiting*, b. 29 March, 1794.
7. *Solon Whiting*, b. 1797.
8. *Caroline Lee Whiting*, b. 1800; m. N. M. Hentz, a French literateur, who came to this country and was associated with prominent savants; was professor at Chapel Hill, N. C., etc. "Caroline Lee (Danforth) Hentz, at the age of 13 was the author of a poem, a novel and a tragedy in 5 acts"; established a seminary for young ladies at Florence, Ala., in 1833; res. afterwards at Columbus, Ga.; d. at the residence of her son Charles A. Hentz, in Marianna, Fla. "on the very day that her last work, *Ernest Linwood*, was announced by the publishers."

iii. JULIA, b. 26 April, 1764; d. at Greenfield, Mass., 24 Feb., 1812; m. first, Asa Spalding, from whom she obtained a divorce for cause; she was m. second, 3 May, 1797, to Reuben, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Bryant, b. in Concord, 14 March, 1769, d. at Bennington, Vt., 28 June, 1846. Mr. Fred. S. Bryant, of St. Paul, Minn., is a descendant of the latter couple.

## 48*a*.

JOHN[5] (*John*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Westborough about 1730; removed with his mother to Andover; married Elizabeth ——; (she married second, 12 June, 1760, Ebenezer Dow, Jr., who assisted her in the care of Mr. Danforth's estate and children). He was a farmer; had lands in Andover and Tewksbury. He died in 1758; in his will dated 3 May, probated 13 Nov., 1758, he bequeathed to his wife Elizabeth; his mother Tabatha; his eldest child Elizabeth, his daughter Hannah and his "kinswoman" Lydia, daughter of his sister Lydia, wife of Uriah Ballard, Jr. Guardians were appointed for his children, Elizabeth, "aged about 19," and Hannah, aged about 17 years, 5 July, 1774. Hannah sold her half of the farm in 1781. [Compare with Nos. 42 and 98.]

JOHN, Lynn. Capt. Ezra Newhall's co., Col. John Mansfield's regt.; order for advance pay for 1 month dated Cambridge, June 8, 1775; *also*, Private, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 6, 1775; service, 3 mos. 2 days; *also*, Capt. Newhall's co., Col. Mansfield's (19th) regt. commanded by Lieut. Col. Israel Hutchinson; company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Winter Hill, Nov. 4, 1775; *also*, Capt. Joseph Hiller's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's regt.; arrived at destination May 5, 1777; discharged July 5, 1777; service 2 mos. 6 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; roll dated Camp at Providence.

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JOHN. Statement dated Boston, Sept, 22, 1776, signed by said Danforth and others, in Col. Craft's regt., declaring their refusal to leave Boston unless their bounty or wages, or both, were made equivalent to those allowed the soldiers of the Continental train of artillery; *also*, Sergeant (late) Capt. Jonathan Warner's (3) co., corps of artillery lately commanded by Lieut. Col. Paul Revere; service from Jan. 1, 1780, to May 8, 1780, 4 mos. 8 days.

JOHN (DANFORD), Sergeant, Capt. Warner's co., Col. Revere's regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from July 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also* corporal, Capt. John Gill's (4th) co., Col. Thomas Crafts' Artillery regt.; pay rolls for July—September, 1777; *also* same co. and regt.; list of men who received bounty from April 30, 1777, to Dec. 30, 1777, 8 months; *also* same co. and regt.; list of men entitled to bounty, dated Boston, Jan. 12, 1778.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[6] b. about 1755.
ii. HANNAH, b. about 1757.

49.

JAMES[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 10 Jan., 1730; died 22 Nov., 1758; married Lydia ——. She survived him and married second, 6 Dec., 1770, Ebenezer Richardson; being the third of his seven wives. His will, signed 16 Nov., 1758, probated 11 June, 1759, bequeathed to wife Lydia, son Josiah "my first born," daughters Lydia and Hannah and an expected child.

Children:

i. JOSIAH,[6] b. 5 Dec., 1753. Being "above 14 years of age," he chose Joshua Abbot as guardian, 8 Dec., 1768. [See No. 94-2.]
ii. LYDIA, b. 8 June, 1755; m. 1 April, 1778, Ziba Lane.
iii. HANNAH, b. 20 Feb., 1757.
iv. ELIZABETH, or BETTY (posthumous), bapt. 15 April, 1759.

50.

SAMUEL[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]),* born in Cambridge, 8 Dec., 1734; resided at Sudbury; married Sarah Parmenter, of Sudbury. [See Revolutionary Rolls in Appendix.]

Children:

i. SALLY,[6] m. William Garfield.
114. ii. SAMUEL.

51.

NICHOLAS[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 8 Dec., 1734; died about 1800; married 30 March,

* This pedigree cannot be altogether correct; see No. 19.

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1758, by Rev. John Chandler, Elizabeth, daughter of Abraham and Hannah (Farley) Jaquith, born 26 Feb., 1740; died 1815. She survived and married second, —— Wood.

It seems probable that he removed to Fitchburg, and later to Stillwater, N Y., where he died. He and his sons seem to have done good Revolutionary service.

NICHOLAS, Fitchburg. Private, Capt. Ebenezer Bridge's co., Col. John Whetcomb's regt. of minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; left place of rendezvous May 2, 1775; service 13 days.

Children:

116. i. SAMUEL,[6] b. 11 May, 1759.
117. ii. JAMES, b. 28 Dec., 1760.
iii. ELIZABETH, bapt. 10 April, 1763; m. 4 Dec., 1791, Gardner Marcy, of Hartland, Vt.; b. 11 June, 1762, d. 8 Oct., 1837. He was b. at Belchertown, 11 June, 1762; "at 18 entered the army in place of his father who had been drafted," according to tradition.

Children of Gardner and Elizabeth (Danforth) Marcy:

1. *Sullivan Marcy*, b. 21 Nov., 1792; d. 5 Nov., 1871; m. Sarah Waldron.
2. *Gardner Marcy*, b. 5 Nov., 1794; d. 23 Dec., 1848; m. Matilda Walker.
3. *Betsey Marcy*, b. 1 Nov., 1797; d. 28 May, 1877; m. Zenas Hopkins.
4. *Lucinda Marcy*, b. 27 June, 1800; d. 13 Feb., 1811.
5. *Squire Marcy*, (Hon.) b. 12 March, 1803; m. Eliza Bradstreet; Judge, Hartland, Vt.

118. iv. ISAAC, b. date unknown.
119. v. JACOB, b. 1771.
vi. ABRAHAM; followed the sea; d. in 1805, on board ship of Capt. Gardner, off quarantine, Philadelphia; buried at an island.
vii. JOSHUA, "lived in Georgia." [?]
viii. SUSANNAH, m. first, Henry Crouch, of Saratoga, N. Y.; had 5 children; m. second, Elnathan Wing; had 3 children.
120. ix. JOSEPH.
121. x. FRANCIS.

## 52.

JONATHAN[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 26 Feb., 1742; removed to Hardwick; died 15 Sept., 1833; married in Hardwick, 19 April, 1770, Susanna, daughter of Rev. David White; she died 14 Nov., 1779. He married second, 1 Oct., 1780, Anna, daughter of Joseph and Hannah (Cushman) Ruggles, a niece of Brig.-Gen. Ruggles, born in 1755, died 4 March, 1824.

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Jonathan Danforth was keeper of a country store in Hardwick, and incurred public displeasure by dealing in tea when it was contraband, in 1776. He was a Tory, and many stories are told of his contumacy, denouncing the cause of the people, and obstructing their efforts. He was confined in Worcester jail, and subsequently in his own house, being forbidden to leave it, except to go to church or to attend funerals. When he brought suit against magistrates for thus confining him, they applied to the General Court, which ordered the writs to be discharged. Being a constable, he refused to give up monies in his hands to the order of the Provincial Congress. The patriotic people rose *en masse*, and would have lynched him, but that Thomas Robinson, one of the town committee, seized and thrust him into the pound, and being a powerful man kept the people at bay, and finally conducted him to a place of safety.

He continued for a half century after the war a citizen of the town, and won respect and good will, serving as selectman, assessor and collector of taxes. In 1831, when he was 88 years old, Col. Stephen Rice, a member of the Revolutionary Committee, died at the age of 95. Soon after, to his pastor, Mr. Coldsbury, he recounted some of his early trials, and added: "One day, when attending a funeral, I told one of the Committee that I liked to go to funerals, and hoped to live to attend the funerals of the whole Committee; and I've done it; I've seen every divil of them under ground. Rice was the last of them."

His second wife, Anna Ruggles, was daughter of Joseph, a prominent loyalist, and was niece of Brigadier Timothy Ruggles, who had previously been a useful and much respected citizen, but now, by accepting the appointment under the crown of Mandamus Councillor, forfeited his position, and was obliged to flee the country, never to return.

After his second marriage he resided half a mile south of the Common, at the homestead of his father.

[See Paige's History of Hardwick for this and more.]

Children:

122. i. SAMUEL,[6] b. 19 March, 1771.
ii. JONATHAN, b. 25 Feb., 1773; d. unm. 3 April, 1797.
iii. DAVID WHITE, born and died in 1774.
iv. PAMELA, b. 8 Nov., 1777; d. unm. at Rupert, Vt., 16 Dec., 1802.
v. SUSANNA WHITE, b. 28 Dec., 1781; m. 22 May, 1828, Capt. Moses Gray, of Prescott.
vi. JOSEPH RUGGLES, b. 20 March, 1784; d. unm. 23 April, 1803.
vii. HANNAH, b. 8 June, 1786; d. unm. 13 June, 1811.
123. viii. LYMAN, b. 22 Oct., 1788.
ix. ANN RUGGLES, b. 2 March, 1791; d. unm. 29 Nov., 1873.
124. x. CYRUS, b. 29 Sept., 1793.
125. xi. JAMES, b. 1796.

## 53.

WILLIAM[5] (*Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 7 Nov., 1737; died in Hartland, Vt., 17 Oct., 1813; married 3 Jan., 1760, his cousin Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel

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(19) and Elizabeth (Hosley) Danforth, born 10 May, 1736, died in Pomfret, Vt., 28 March, 1817. Lived in Hartland, Vt.

Children:

126. i. WILLIAM,[6] b. 31 July, 1761.
127. ii. ISAAC, b. 29 Sept., 1763.
iii. ELIZABETH, b. 29 June, 1765; m. —— Stanley; resided at Sandy Hill, N. Y.
iv. JONATHAN, bapt. March, 1768.
128. v. JONATHAN, b. 23 Feb., 1769.
129. vi. SAMUEL, b. 31 Aug., 1772.
vii. BURNET, b. 2 Oct., 1774; d. unm. 11 Oct., 1813.
viii. JAMES, b. 8 Nov., 1776; unm.
ix. SALLY, b. 9 Dec., 1777; unm.
x. HOSLEY, b. 4 Dec., 1779; unm.

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55.

THOMAS[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *John*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Boston 31 July, 1774; died at Dorchester, 13 July, 1817; married in Taunton, 3 April, 1800, Elizabeth Sherburne, daughter of Jerathmael and Mary (Sherburne) Bowers, of Somerset, Mass., died 3 Sept., 1850. He was graduated from Harvard College, A.B. 1792, A.M. and M.D. later. Practised medicine in Boston and Dorchester; fellow and recording secretary of Mass. Medical Society; in 1804 "delivered the Fourth of July oration before the Town Authorities and citizens." Was buried in Gov. Stoughton's tomb. The daughters Elizabeth and Mary lived together at 112 Marlboro St. "in the discharge of duties of benevolence and the culture of literary tastes" till their death at advanced ages; and were laid in their grandfather's tomb at Mt. Auburn.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH SHERBURNE BOWERS,[7] b. 2 July, 1801; d. 22 Nov., 1885. She bequeathed her grandfather's portrait to Almou Hodges.

ii. SAMUEL, b. 27 March, 1804; d. 13 Sept., 1826.

iii. MARY SHERBURNE, b. 9 May, 1806; d. 1889.

iv. BLOWERS,—name changed by act of legislature in 1832 to Bowers,—b. March 4, 1808; d. in San Francisco, Cal., in 1851. As "Blowers Danforth, a minor of above 14 years," he had a guardian appointed after his grandfather's death; and later, as a "spendthrift" under the name of "Bowers Danforth," he had another guardian appointed. He made a will in San Francisco (probated here), in which he bequeathed his property to his sisters, and a legacy to his "guardian, Alfred A. Wellington."

v. THOMAS, b. 1 Nov., 1813; d. 27 Sept., 1814.

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ASA[6] (*James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 9 Jan., 1766; died in the Insane Asylum at Worcester, 15 July, 1841; married Sept., 1788, Deborah Thayer, born at Taunton, 16 May, 1766, died 15 Feb., 1847. He was a cooper by trade; was town clerk, justice of the peace, constable, auctioneer, treasurer of the Congregational church, and filled many minor offices.

Children:

i. POLLY,[7] b. 14 April, 1789; d. unm. 7 April, 1877.
130. ii. JAMES, b. 24 March, 1791; query, did he marry Sarah Dean, and die s. p.?
iii. HANNAH, b. 20 July, 1793; d. unm. 9 Feb., 1838.
131. iv. ALLEN, b. 18 Jan., 1796.
v. SALLY, b. 3 March, 1798; d. unm. 14 Sept., 1876.
132. vi. GEORGE, b. 1 April, 1800.
133. vii. JOHN, b. 1 April, 1802.
viii. FANNY, b. 20 May, 1804; d. 11 March, 1848; m. 8 Sept., 1842, Loring Lincoln.
ix. ELIZABETH, b. 16 Feb., 1807; d. 2 May, 1855; m. 25 Dec., 1831, James Thurber, of Plymouth, b. at Warren, R. I., 11 Nov., 1800, d. 20 May, 1857; a printer, editor; a prudent, kindly man and useful citizen; selectman, representative, etc.

Children of James and Elizabeth (Danforth) Thurber:

1. *Elizabeth Thurber*, b. 2 Nov., 1832.
2. *James Danforth Thurber*, b. 21 Feb., 1839; m. 12 Aug., 1862, Mary Ann Bartlett. Children:
(1) Elizabeth Thurber, b. 5 Nov., 1866.
(2) William Bartlett Thurber, b. 27 March, 1868.
(3) Mary Tyler Thurber, b. 11 July, 1874.

x. NICHOLAS, b. 7 June, 1809; d. 11 March, 1837.

57.

THOMAS[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born probably in Norton, about 1760; died at Norton, in 1845; married first, Nancy Wood, of Bridgewater, born in 1767, died in 1784. He married second, Betsey, daughter of Capt. Jacob and Mercy (Pitts) Haskins, of Taunton, "a soldier in the French and Indian War"; she died 23 Jan., 1831. He married third, in 1833, Mary Ann Perkins, aged about 25 years, he being at the time in his 74th year. She survived him and drew her pension duly. He was a farmer and clothier as his father and grandfather had been.

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Served in the Revolutionary War,* as "major fifer," at 18 years of age; was with Washington at Long Island and at New York. Taught school after the war several years. Drew a pension from the government till his death at the age of 84. His first wife died at Woodstock, Conn., at the early age of 18, of scarlet fever which was very prevalent, so extensively that the infant son was carried by his father on horseback a distance of several miles to escape the contagion. Under the fostering care of a good stepmother he grew to manhood.

Children:

135. i. THOMAS,[7] b. 20 Jan., 1784.

ii. BETSEY, b. at Taunton, 9 Aug., 1788; d. unm. in Hopewell, Taunton, 7 Feb., 1860.

iii. GEORGE PITTS, b. at Rehoboth, 29 March, 1791; became an inventor, associated with his brother Charles; was ingenious in mechanics; representative to Mass. Legislature; d. during his term of office, at Taunton, 1 Sept., 1838.

iv. MERCY, b. at Norton, 5 Feb., 1793; d. in 1872; m. 20 June, 1814, Alanson Cobb, son of Benjamin and Sarah (Lathrop) Cobb, of Norton.

Children of Alanson and Mercy (Danforth) Cobb:

1. *Mason Cobb*, b. 1815.
2. *Eliza Cobb*, b. 1817; m. Edward Warren; their dau. Emma Cobb, m. Arnold Sanford.
3. *Harriet Cobb*, b. 1819.
4. *Henry Cobb*, b. 1821.
5. *Walter Cobb*, b. 1823.
6. *Charles Cobb*, b. 1825.

v. EUNICE, b. 5 Dec., 1795; d. 28 Sept., 1882; m. 18 May, 1827, Everett Horton, of Norton, son of Benjamin and Abigail (Danforth) Horton; [see No. 27, ante].

* THOMAS, Mansfield. Drummer, Capt. Macey Williams' co., Col. Timothy Walker's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 mos., 7 days; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Dec. 12, 1775; *also*, Capt. Abiel Clapp's co., Col. Carpenter's (Bristol Co.) regt.; service, 34 days; company marched to Rhode Island, July 24, 1777; *also*, receipt for equipments dated Springfield, Aug. 22, 1779, given to Capt. James Tisdale; *also*, descriptive list of men raised to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Springfield, agreeably to resolve of June 9, 1779, returned as received of Justin Ely, Commissioner, by Capt. James Tisdale, at Springfield, Aug. 23, 1779; Capt. White's (also given 3d) co., Col. Dean's regt.; age 19 years; stature, 5 ft. 10 in.; complexion, light; hair, brown; eyes, dark; engaged for the town of Mansfield; reported mustered by James Leonard, Muster Master for Bristol Co.; *also*, fife Major (also given Drum Major); Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt.; appointed July 28, 1780; discharged Oct. 31, 1780; service, 3 months, 6 days, at Rhode Island; regt. detached from militia of Bristol Co. to reinforce Continental Army.

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Mrs. Hannah Danforth Carpenter.

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Children of Everett and Eunice (Danforth) Horton:

1. *Eliza Eunice Horton*, b. 25 Dec., 1827; m. George Green; res. Providence, R. I. Had one son, Frederick Green, killed in N. Y. city, by the falling of a sign.
2. *Nancy Danforth Horton*; many years a successful teacher at Taunton.
3. *Helen M. Horton*, living, unm., 1893.

136. vi. CHARLES, b. 30 Aug., 1797.

vii. HANNAH, b. 9 March, 1800; d. Nov., 1900; m. in 1821, Daniel Carpenter, of Norton, who d. in 1868. She lived out a round century, her 100th birthday being appropriately noticed by family, neighbors and the public press. Among the things then said about her we note the following: "Her cheerful disposition, the beauty of her life as unfolded, has made her honored and beloved by hosts of friends." The town, at its annual meeting, March 5th, passed these resolutions:

"Whereas, Mrs. Carpenter, a native and resident of this town, the daughter of a soldier of the Revolutionary War and a granddaughter of a soldier of French Indian Wars, is to celebrate the 100th anniversary of her birth on Friday next, March 9,

Resolved, that the citizens of Norton extend to her assurance of their cordial regard and wishes for her continual health and happiness."

Children of Daniel and Hannah (Danforth) Carpenter:

1. *Hannah Danforth Carpenter*, b. 1822; m. her cousin, Wm. Carpenter.
2. *Caroline Nancy Carpenter*, b. 1824.
3. *George Franklin Carpenter*, b. 1826; for many years a member of the firm of Carpenter & Plimpton, wholesale dealers in Millinery, Boston.
4. *Elizabeth Haskins Carpenter*, b. 1830; m. William Shepard.
5. *Charles Carpenter*, b. 1833.
6. *Ellen Maria Carpenter*, b. 1841; d. y.
7. *Ellen Fidelia Carpenter*, b. 1843.

viii. HARRIET, d. 31 March, 1802; m. in 1842, David Taylor; he d. in 1874.

ix. NANCY WOOD, b. 4 Feb., 1804; kept house for her father till his third marriage; d. at Mrs. Horton's, 26 Feb., 1865.

137. x. JAMES M., b. 20 Dec., 1807.

xi. FIDELIA, b. 8 Feb., 1810; d. 24 April, 1837; m. David, son of Jonathan and Lydia (Walker) Knowles, of Norton.

Children of David and Fidelia (Danforth) Knowles:

1. *Eliza Hale Knowles*, b. 31 Jan., 1834; m. 25 Oct., 1860, George, son of Joseph and Sally (Adams) Brabrook, b. in Acton, 9 Nov., 1828; rem. to Taunton 1850; partner of Reed & Barton, 1859; treasurer of co. since 1888. Sons Carleton Knowles Brabrook, b. 10

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Feb., 1863, H. U. 1885, Col. Law Sch. 1890; and George Hale Brabrook, b. 21 Aug., 1871, H. U. 1893.

2. *Lydia Knowles.*

3. *Andrew Knowles.*

xii. MARY ANN, b. 6 Aug., 1834.

xiii. AUGUSTA, b. 29 Dec., 1836; d. in 1860.

xiv. CHARLOTTE, b. 19 Nov., 1838; d. young.

58.

SAMUEL[6] (*Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, about 1762; married Margaret Mather Ball, sister of Samuel R. Mather, and widow of Thaddeus Ball; he died 24 Aug., 1845. He removed from Norton, to Salina, N. Y., where he was deputy sheriff. Was he not the soldier mentioned below?*

Children:

i. HANNAH,[7] m. James Scott; removed to Battle Creek, Mich.; d. about 1874.

ii. MARGARET, m. ——, and rem. to Texas, where she died.

59.

JOHN[6] (*John,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, 18 July, 1768; died 1803; married in 1789, Hannah Fitch, a niece of Gov. Thomas Fitch, of Conn., and also of Gov. Jonathan Trumbull. She was born 3 Oct., 1768; survived her husband; married second, in 1809, Simeon Potter, who died 17 Jan., 1810 (dau. Sarah Potter, born 19 Sept., 1810, married Lawson Blood†); she married third, in 1821, Samuel Andrews, of Stockbridge; she died 29 April, 1859. He removed to Athol; was the village smith, industrious and respected.

Children:

138. i. ERASTUS,[7] b. 10 Dec., 1791.

ii. SOPHIA, b. at Westmoreland, 21 June, 1793; d. 27 Feb., 1874;

* SAMUEL. Petition dated Mansfield, May 22, 1777, signed by 1st Lieut. John Dean, stating that said Danforth and others, who marched in a company commanded by Lieut. Dean on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776, for the defence of Rhode Island, were omitted on the pay roll, and asking for wages due for 2 days service; *also*, Private, Capt. John Dean's co., Col. Isaac Dean's (4th Bristol Co.) regt.; enlisted Aug. 1, 1780; discharged Aug. 7, 1780; service, 9 days, at Rhode Island on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780; roll dated Mansfield.

† Lawson and Sarah (Potter) Blood had a son Charles Lawson Blood, born 20 March, 1836, died 4 Sept., 1888, who married 24 Nov., 1859, Lucy Ann, dau. of Asa and Lucy Williams; their son Harrie Lawson Blood, born 11 Feb., 1868, a pattern maker, resides in the house No. 219 Weir St., Taunton, which Royal Danforth built about 1830, and sold to Lawson Blood in 1835.

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m. 24 Feb.; 1819, James, son of Pierson Richardson, of Phillipston, b. 7 Oct., 1793, d. 12 June, 1869. He was a farmer occupying the farm of his father, one of the original settlers of Gerry (now Phillipston), in the north part of the town. He removed in 1865 to Pleasanton, Iowa, where he died 12 June, 1869.

Children of James and Sophia (Danforth) Richardson:

1. *John Pierson Richardson*, b. 22 Jan., 1820; m. Rhoda, dau. of Capt. Ebenezer Foskett; d. 21 Jan., 1864.

   Children of John P. and Rhoda (Foskett) Richardson:

   (1) Martin Wallace Richardson, b. 19 April, 1844; m. (1) Amelia Cummings; m. (2) 5 May, 1874, Emma Augusta Adams.
   (2) Alonzo Pierson Richardson, b. 4 March, 1850; m. 15 June, 1880, Martha A. Chaffee.
   (3) Janette Madora Richardson, b. 23 Feb., 1854; m. James Edward Hill.
   (4) Adeline Lunette Richardson, b. 24 July, 1857; m. Edwin Truman Hanson.
   (5) John Clayton Richardson, b. 19 July, 1860; m. Mary Ann Macaulay.

2. *James Hanson Richardson*,* b. 19 Sept., 1823; m. (1) Sarah, dau. of James and Hannah Foskett; m. (2) after 1860, Martha Jane Pond; d. 4 January, 1894. Residence, Orange. Children:

   (1) Ella J. Richardson, b. 1851; d. 1852.
   (2) Walter L. Richardson, b. 8 July, 1853; d. 19 May, 1862.
   (3) George Warren Richardson, b. 27 Oct., 1855; m. 4 April, 1880, Alice M. Connell.
   (4) Emma E. Richardson, b. 13 June, 1858; d. 25 Aug., 1860.
   (5) Walter James Richardson, b. 26 Jan., 1867; m. 17 April, 1898, Louette B. Glazier.
   (6) Jenny Ida Richardson, b. 2 Oct., 1868; m. Edgar O. Hunt.
   (7) Arthur Burton Richardson, b. 28 Feb., 1871; m. Carrie Donnelly.

3. *Royal Danforth Richardson*, b. 12 Feb., 1827; m. Martha Johnson, of Dover, Vt., b. 5 June, 1829; res. at Pleasanton, Ia.
4. *Sophia Richardson*, b. 3 Oct., 1828; m. Lorenzo Damon, son of Rufus and Mary (Cleveland) Barnes; res. Oakham; d. 27 July, 1873.

* He served in the 27th Mass. V. I. from Sept. 19, 1861; was in the Roanoke Island expedition; had charge of a force in the Engineers department; participated in 18 or more battles, and received no wound; wasted in Rebel prisons from 180 to 75 pounds weight; paroled Nov. 26, 1864, discharged March 20, 1865.

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Child of Lorenzo D. and Sophia (Richardson) Barnes:

Mary Sophia Barnes, b. 11 Sept., 1861; m. (1) John Wesley Pierce, b. 3 Dec., 1859; she m. (2) William B. Cady.

5. *Susannah Richardson*, b. 10 March, 1832; m. in May, 1858, Otis Henry Horton; res. New Albany, Mo.; d. 23 Oct., 1900.

Children of Otis H. and Susannah (Richardson) Horton:

(1) Henry Ernest Horton, b. 22 July, 1859; d. 11 Nov., 1879.
(2) Luella Richardson Horton, b. 9 July, 1865; d. 6 Nov., 1879.
(3) Elizabeth Mabel Horton, b. 7 Oct., 1867; m. Benoni F. Harden.

6. *Elizabeth Richardson*, b. 10 Nov., 1833; m. John Greenleaf, son of Greenleaf and Hannah (Frost) Lamb, b. in Westminster, 3 May, 1828; d. there 9 Sept., 1872; child Henry Waldo Lamb, b. 27 June, 1859; residence Boston.

7. *Sarah Richardson*, b. 2 Sept., 1835; m. Asa B., son of Emery and Mary (Bigelow) Bates; res. Phillipston.

Children of Asa B. and Sarah (Richardson) Bates:

(1) Clarence Walter Bates, b. 8 Jan., 1856; m. Ellen Baldwin.
(2) Eunice Abby Bates, b. 11 June, 1859; m. Louis Maynard.
(3) John Asa Bates, b. 20 Aug., 1861; m. Clara Baker.
(4) Sarah Elizabeth Bates, b. 3 Sept., 1867.
(5) Minnie Minette Bates, b. 8 Aug., 1870.
(6) Ida May Bates, b. 24 Dec., 1873; m. Emery Slasson.

iii. SALLY, b. 13 July, 1795; d. 1803.
139. iv. HENRY, b. 15 July, 1797.
140. v. JOHN, b. 19 April, 1799.
vi. SYLVESTER, b. 5 April, 1801: d. Oct., 1855; unm.; served in the Mexican War; res. afterwards at Union Village, O.; death caused by being thrown from a wagon.
141. vii. ROYAL WILLIAM, b. 1 Dec., 1802.

## 62.

NATHANIEL[6] (*Oliver*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 31 March, 1769; married first, Sally Chase. Removed to Bennington, Vt.; "married there a second wife."

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Children:

i. SALLY; "died in Taunton."
ii. NATHANIEL; "went to Virginia; taught dancing."

63.

WILLIAM[6] (*Oliver*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 16 Dec., 1770; died 20 Jan., 1830; married 21 June, 1791, Sally Leonard, of Taunton, born in 1773; died 12 Feb., 1834.

He was superintendent of the Hopeville Rolling Mill; acquired a competency through his diligence and hard work. Some years after his death his son Leonard sold a tract which had descended to him from Rev. Samuel Danforth, on which the Asylum for the Insane now stands (in part); called "Captain."

Children:

i. EUNICE,[7] b. 13 June, 1792; long insane; d. 21 Aug., 1858.
ii. PRISCILLA, b. 20 Oct., 1794; d. 23 Sept., 1830.
iii. CHARLES, b. 19 Sept., 1796; d. 23 Nov., 1797.
143. iv. JARVIS, b. 21 Aug., 1798.
v. HORATIO LEONARD, b. 7 April, 1801; Brown Univ., 1825; became a lawyer; county treasurer 12 years; high sheriff 7 years; unmarried; d. 21 July, 1859.
vi. ELIZA, b. 13 Sept., 1803; d. 15 June, 1833.
vii. HARRIET, b. 31 July, 1806; d. 3 June, 1866; m. David Clark, of Medway.
viii. WILLIAM, b. 23 Feb., 1810; d. 29 April, 1833; m. Thirza Thayer; children: 1. Thirza Maria[8]; William A., d. 9 May, 1833, æ 3 months.
ix. MARY WILLIAMS, b. in Sept., 1812: d. 18 Oct., 1836 m. 26, Oct., 1834, Abel Buss, of Belleville, Canada.

His grandson Edwin Alexander Danforth, b. in Medway, 14 Nov., 1830, m. Lucy Cordelia, dau. of Timothy and Betsey (Allen) Ide; b. at No. Wrentham, 9 Jan., 1825; d. Dec., 1864. Children: 1. Harriet Cora, b. 20 July, 1855; d. 10 July, 1883: 2. Edwin Irving, b. 5 Nov., 1859.

64.

OLIVER CROMWELL[6] (*Oliver*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 27 Feb., 1790; died 29 Nov., 1826; married 27 Sept., 1818, Eliza, daughter of Levi and Cynthia (Franklin) Lincoln, born 23 Oct., 1797, died 1 Aug., 1847. Resided at Norton.

Children:

i. GEORGE CROMWELL,[7] b. 25 Sept., 1819; d. at Providence, R. I.; m. 15 Jan., 1854, Laura A. Hibbard, b. at Lyme, N. H., in 1823. No children.

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ii. OLIVER LINCOLN, b. 18 Sept., 1821.
147. iii. LEVI FRANKLIN, b. 5 June, 1825.
148. iv. LEMUEL LEONARD, b. 26 Feb., 1827.

65.

OZIAS[6] (*Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Oct., 1772; died 1840; married Desire Cole.

Children:

i. KATHARINE,[7] m. John Vaughan.
ii. ADELINE, m. Cyrus W. Johnson.
149. iii. OZIAS.
iv. SARAH.

66.

JOB[6] (*Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 9 Sept., 1774; died 5 Sept., 1801; married in Boston ("Job Danforth, Jr., of Providence," int. 4 Oct., 1798, "Sally Burs, of Boston").

Children:

i. SAMUEL.[7]
ii. MARY ANN.

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WILLIAM[6] (*Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 26 Aug., 1777; married 27 Dec., 1801, Desire Bury.

Children:

i. LOUISA,[7] m. Theodore Hilton.

Children of Theodore and Louisa (Danforth) Hilton:

1. *William M. Hilton.*
2. *Samuel Hilton.*

ii. MARIA, m. —— Briggs.

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WALTER RALEIGH[6] (*Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 April, 1787; died 11 August, 1861; married 12 June, 1811, Elizabeth Ann Carter. Resided at Providence, R.I. [Brown Univ. 1805.] Read law in the office of Hon. James Burrill; in 1807 clerk of Supreme Judicial Court, and in 1811 of Court of Common Pleas. From 1818 to 1828 member of Town Council, pronounced several Fourth of July orations before the city authorities, and in 1822 an address before the Mechanics and Manufacturers

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Association. These were printed. From 1820 to 1824 associate editor of the Prov. Gazette, and in 1825 established a weekly paper, The Microcosm. Though previously of the old Federal party he advocated the election of Jackson to the presidency, and thenceforth acted with the Democrats. He was collector of the port of Providence from 1829 to 1841. In 1842 he was editor of the Express, the organ of the Suffrage party that instituted what was known as "the Dorr War." [His house on Federal Hill was the headquarters of that party, and was fortified to repel attack.] In 1853 he was mayor of the city, and in 1855 representative to the General Assembly.

His wife, daughter of John and ——— Carter, a lady renowned for her beauty and accomplishments, was directly descended from Gideon Crawford, of Lanarck, Scotland, who settled in Providence in 1687.

Mr. Danforth was specially interested in studies of genealogy and local history, and in a series of lectures gave reminiscences of Providence, and he also furnished for Emery's "History of Taunton Ministry" the memoranda respecting this family. A portrait of Gen. Jackson, a gift from the original, is in possession of his younger son; one of himself belongs to Miss Allen, and another is in the City Council Chamber, Providence.

Children:

i. FRANCIS LIPPITT,[7] b. 18 March, 1812; d. unm. 29 April, 1867.
ii. WALTER RALEIGH, b. 17 June, 1813; d. 6 Oct., 1826.
151. iii. CHARLES, b. 1 Aug., 1815.
iv. JAMES, b. 1 May, 1818; d. unm. 18 Oct., 1862.
v. GEORGE, b. 1 June, 1820; d. 12 Nov., 1821.
vi. MARIA ELIZABETH, b. 9 Sept., 1821; d. 31 Oct., 1832.
vii. WILLIAM CARTER, b. 23 Feb., 1824; d. unm. 27 Sept., 1876.
viii. SOPHIA BARNES, b. 16 Aug., 1826; m. 1 June, 1852, Richard Bowen, son of Howard and Patience Allen, of Fall River, b. 11 Feb., 1823. Son, Crawford Carter Allen, b. 20 June, 1861; Harv. Law School. Res. Cambridge.
152. ix. ANDREW JACKSON, b. 30 Dec., 1828.
x. SARAH, b. 16 April, 1831; d. 24 Nov., 1834.

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JONATHAN[6] (*Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 1 Oct., 1775; died at Morrison, Whiteside Co., Ill., about 1 July, 1854; married Hannah Lyon, of Woodford, Vt. He went from Taunton to Woodford, with his father, as a child; resided there many years; was constable, etc. Removed to Illinois with his son, Henry Tisdale.

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Children:

i. CLARA,[7] m. Roswell, son of Josiah and Betsey (Allen) Cutler, of Woodford. He died Feb., 1900.

Children of Roswell and Clara (Danforth) Cutler:

1. *Sibyl Danforth Cutler*, b. 27 March, 1822; d. 10 June, 1857; m. 27 Aug., 1840, Martin Canary Talcott (his second wife), son of Joseph and Rebecca (Warren) Talcott, b. at Windsor, Conn., 7 April, 1806, d. at Dow City, Ia., 3 July, 1874. Children of Martin C. and Sibyl D. (Cutler) Talcott:
   (1) Vivaldo Talcott, b. 7 June, 1841; m. Maggie Butler.
   (2) Florence Gertrude Talcott, b. 30 April, 1843; m. Silas K. Huffman.
   (3) Alphonso Martin Talcott, b. 24 April, 1845; m. Martha A. McColl.
   (4) Benjamin West Talcott, b. 10 Feb., 1847; m. Maggie Wilson; d. 2 May, 1877.
   (5) Charles Roswell Talcott, b. 29 Sept., 1849; m. Ella Grace.
   (6) Jesse Newcomb Talcott, b. 19 Aug., 1850; d. 26 Nov., 1852.
   (7) Riley Albert Talcott, b. 6 Sept., 1852; m. Mary E. Adams.
   (8) Ammi Myron Talcott, b. 16 Sept., 1854; d. 3 Oct., 1864.
   (9) Ezra Warren Talcott, b. 22 March, 1857; m. Sarah J. Bolton.

   All these reside near Dow City, Ia.
2. *Clarissa Cutler*, m. James Lambert, of Lansingburg, N. Y.; had two sons, viz., James Gordon Lambert and Charles R. Lambert.
3. *Roswell Danforth Cutler*, b. 27 March, 1827.

ii. SIBYL, d. 1821; m. Allen Cutler, a brother of Roswell, above.

iii. MARY, b. 15 April, 1807; d. 4 Dec., 1854; m. 29 Oct., 1826, at Hoosac 4 Corners, John De Groodt, shoemaker and farmer, b. 12 Jan., 1802, d. 27 Dec., 1891. Resided successively at Fredonia, N. Y.; Springfield, Pa.; Madison, O.; Rockford, Geneseo and Morison, Ill., and Louisiana, Mo. Died at Morison.

Children of John and Mary (Danforth) De Groodt:

1. *George Washington De Groodt*, b. 19 Sept., 1827; res. Kansas City, Mo.
2. *Myron Henry De Groodt*, b. 2 March, 1829; d. May, 1830.
3. *Orville Henry De Groodt*, b. 25 March, 1831; went to California.

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4. *Myron Cornelius De Groodt*, b. 1 March, 1833; accidentally killed by a gun, 19 July, 1862.
5. *Orphelia Lovina De Groodt*, b. 17 April, 1835; m. 19 Sept., 1866, Watson R. Agard, of Montrose, Colo. Children of Watson R. and Orphelia L. Agard:
   (1) Cora Nettie Agard, b. 9 July, 1867; m. 15 Aug., 1885, Clarence Knight. Children: William Agard Knight, b. 1 April, 1888, and Dora Gertrude Knight, b. 26 Nov., 1891.
   (2) Dora Belle Agard, b. 8 April, 1872; m. 30 July, 1887, Oliver F. Weeks. Child: George Agard Weeks, b. 15 May, 1889.
6. *John Murray De Groodt*, b. 13 Aug., 1838; m. twice; two daus. by first wife. Res. Anada, Pike Co., Mo.
7. *Lafayette M. De Groodt*, b. 30 July, 1840; served in War of the Rebellion; d. 20 Dec., 1862.
8. *Clement L. De Groodt*, b. 29 Aug., 1843; res. Louisiana, Mo.
9. *Francis Marion De Groodt*, b. 26 Oct., 1845; farmer and painter; Kansas.
10. *Mary Lovisa De Groodt*, b. 15 Feb., 1849; m. George Edgar Goodenough; res. Morrison, Whitesides Co., Ill. Children:
   (1) Minnie Josephine Goodenough, b. 31 Oct., 1870.
   (2) John Willard Goodenough, b. 17 April, 1876.
   (3) Arthur Lewis Goodenough, b. 7 Dec., 1878.
   (4) Bertie Elmer Goodenough, b. 20 July, 1880.

iv. GEORGE, b. at Woodford, Vt., d. before 1820, unm.
153. v. HENRY TISDALE, b. 1 April, 1813.

## 70.

GEORGE WASHINGTON[6] (*Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 29 Jan., 1776; died 25 July, 1799; he accompanied his wife's brother to the West Indies and died in Havana; married Charlotte Jennings, of Norwalk, Conn. She survived her husband and married second, Dr. Fenton, of Conneaut, O. Child:

BETSEY ANN WASHINGTON,[7] m. Samuel Sterrett, a merchant, of Springfield, O.

Child of Samuel and Betsey A. W. (Danforth) Sterrett:

*Mary Adeline Sterrett.*

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JAMES[6] (*Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Taunton, 26 Jan., 1779; died at Laona, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., 22 March, 1858; married at Bennington, 1798, Martha Trapwell, born 1783, died 26 Oct., 1859.

James Danforth, residing in Pomfret, Chau. Co., N. Y., by a bill of sale signed "by his attorney Patty Danforth" [i.e. Martha] conveyed to one Hall, of Bennington, all his interest in the real and personal estate of his deceased father in Woodford.

Children:

i. EMILY,[7] b. 8 Oct., 1800; d. 9 Dec., 1887; m. Isaac K. Thompson.

Children of Isaac K. and Emily (Danforth) Thompson:

1. *Edgar Sprague Thompson*, m. Sarah Maria Danforth.
2. *James Danforth Thompson*, b. Sept., 1832; m. Dorinda Clough; res. Salina, Calif.
3. *George Wash. Thompson*, b. 12 April, 1834; m. (1) Ann Maria Wilcox, (2) Sophia Bruce Hulbert; res. Oskaloosa, Ia.
4. *Ellen Eliza Thompson*, b. 3 Jan., 1836; m. Capt. Elkanah S. Foster.

ii. LORAIN, b. 1802; d. at Chautauqua, 1873; m. David Davis.

154. iii. LEWIS, b. 1804.

155. iv. SYLVESTER ARMSTRONG, b. 4 March, 1807.

v. LUCRETIA, b. about 1819; m. Sheldon Smith; d. at Laona, N. Y., between 1860 and 1870. Children: 1. George Danforth Smith; 2. Milton Smith.

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HENRY[6] (*Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodford, Vt., 13 July, 1793; died 13 April, 1861; married at Bennington, 1 Jan., 1815, Zilpah, daughter of Amos and Rachel (Ammidon) Cummings.

Children:

i. HARRIET HANNAH,[7] b. Woodford, 22 Nov., 1815; m. 4 Nov., 1833, Alfred, son of Christopher Burlingame; b. 5 May, 1809; d. at Crete, Neb., 9 June, 1882 (his first wife); she d. at Janesville, Wis., 31 Jan., 1853.

Children of Alfred and Harriet H. (Danforth) Burlingame:

1 *Amelia Burlingame*, b. 18 June, 1836; m. 9 June, 1857, Hiram Conra Rider, b. Tioga co., N. Y., 21 July, 1833.

2. *W. H. Harrison Burlingame*, b. 18 Jan., 1838; d. 21 May, 1881; m. Elizabeth Stockman.

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3. *Florilla Adeline Burlingame*, b. 12 March, 1840; d. 10 May, 1849, at Lockport, O.
4. *Mary Malvina Burlingame*, b. 28 May, 1842; m. John Wesley Cadwell.
5. *Gilbert Motier de La Fayette Burlingame*, b. 1 Aug., 1844; d. 26 Sept., 1847.
6. *Harriet Adelia Burlingame*, b. 3 Dec., 1847; m. Daniel Wheeler.
7. *Malret Aveline Burlingame*, b. 23 Feb., 1850; d. 20 Jan.. 1877; m. Joshua Lemon Warfield.

156. ii. ALANSON, b. 22 Nov., 1815.
157. iii. LAWTON, b. 1 Aug., 1818.
iv. FLORILLA, b. at Brookfield, N. Y., 25 March, 1821; d. at Akron, O., 16 July, 1856.
158. v. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 10 April, 1823.
vi. HENRY TISDALE, b. Bridgewater, Oneida co., N. Y., 2 March, 1825; was a soldier in the Mexican War; served 7 1-2 years in the regular army; at beginning of the Rebellion raised a company of volunteers in Lancaster, Pa.; was Lieut. Col. of a regiment of Heavy Artillery; killed before Richmond, Va., 30 June, 1862. He m. at Wheeling, Va., Mary Root; no children.
vii. SARAH MARIA, b. at Sangerfield, N. Y., 22 Aug., 1827; m. Edgar Sprague, son of Isaac and Emily (Danforth) Thompson; res. Fairplay, Colo.

Children of Edgar S. and Sarah M. (Danforth) Thompson:
1. *Henry Thompson*, b. 1847; a cripple; d. 1891.
2. *Harriet Thompson*, b, 1849; m. 1875, Bryon Bowerman.
3. *George Thompson.*
4. *James Thompson.*
5. *Ellen Loraine Thompson*, b. Eldora, Ia., 22 Sept., 1862; m. at Fairplay, 2 Oct., 1890, Rollo H. Wright.

viii. MARY ADELINE, b. at Pomfret, N. Y., 22 March, 1837: d. at Lockport, O., 17 Feb., 1840.

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THOMAS[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 2 June, 1756; died at Rocky Hill, 13 Jan., 1840; married 11 Jan., 1775, Elizabeth Tallman, of New London, Conn., born 19 Sept., 1754, died 30 Dec., 1826.

He removed to Rocky Hill, Conn., in 1778, where he established and maintained a large business in tin ware, britannia, copper, brass wares and hardware, sending goods far and wide by his pedlars' wagons. He established a branch factory at Philadelphia, and sometimes dwelt there with his family in the winter season. In 1783 he built at Rocky Hill, an elegant mansion in which he entertained

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numerous kinsfolk and other friends. His son-in-law, Richard Williams, was a partner with him for several years.

Children:

i. HANNAH,[7] b. at Middletown, 16 Oct., 1775; d. at R. H., 3 Jan., 1815; m. 28 Sept., 1794, Richard, third son of Othniel and Hannah Runnels [Reynolds] Williams, b. at Wethersfield, Ct., 3 Dec., 1771; d. at Hartford, 1 Nov., 1812.

Children of Richard and Hannah (Danforth) Williams:

1. *Richard Williams*, b. 10 Nov., 1796; d. 31 Jan., 1797.
2. *Richard Williams*, b. 12 Dec., 1797; d. 4 Jan., 1798.
3. *Otis Williams*, b. 13 March, 1799; d. at Buffalo, N. Y., unm., 12 May, 1831.
4. *Caroline Danforth Williams*, b. 20 July, 1801; d. at Cuyahoga Falls, O., 26 May, 1847; m. 26 March, 1832, George, son of Roswell and Betsey (Humphrey) Taylor, b. in Hartford, 13 June, 1798; d. at Springfield, 18 Sept., 1873.

Children of George and Caroline Danforth (Williams) Taylor:

(1) George Henry Taylor, b. Kent, Conn., 5 Oct., 1834; d. C. Falls, O., 20 May, 1842.
(2) Caroline Elizabeth Taylor, b. 6 June, 1837; d. Solon, O., 27 Jan., 1864.

5. *Almira Williams*, b. 31 July, 1803; d. 18 Feb., 1835; m. 18 June, 1823, Archibald Robbins, b. 19 Nov., 1792, d. 27 Dec., 1860.

Children of Archibald and Almira (Williams) Robbins:

(1) William Riley Robbins, b. 16 Aug., 1826; m. Annie Elizabeth Smith. Their son Arthur William Robbins, m. 18 Sept., 1899, Annie Bertha Cofer, of Bedford co., Va., b. 28 Jan., 1874.
(2) Caroline Sophia Robbins, b. 14 Aug., 1827; m. (1) Charles D. Sill, (2) James Brush Smith.
(3) Charles Williams Robbins, b. 19 Sept., 1829; m. Matilda Ellen Mitchell.
(4) Archibald Reynolds Robbins, b. 3 Jan., 1832; d. in May, 1890, at Clinton, Ia.

6. *Elizabeth Tallman Williams*, b. 3 Dec., 1808; d. in Clinton, Ia., 3 Aug., 1883; m. 3 May, 1836 (second wife) Archibald Robbins.

Children of Archibald and Elizabeth Tallman (Williams) Robbins:

(1) Alfred Danforth Robbins, b. 12 April, 1837; m. Margaret A. Price.

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(2) Richard Otis Robbins, b. 25 Aug., 1838; d. 22 July, 1860.
(3) Almira ("Myra") Elizabeth Robbins, b. 23 Dec., 1839; m. James McNabb, Jr. Residence Washington, D. C.
(4) Francis Augustus Robbins, b. 22 Feb., 1841; d. 23 Feb., 1843.
(5) Francis Wiltshire Robbins, b. 11 Sept., 1844; d. in N. Y. city, 26 June, 1895.

ii. MARTHA, b. at M., 4 Aug., 1777; d. near Hartford, 19 June, 1850; m. 7 July, 1796, Simeon Robbins, son of Simeon and Sarah (Rose) Robbins, b. at Rocky Hill, 2 April, 1774; d. at Frasersburg, O., 1 Sept., 1833.

Children of Simeon and Martha (Danforth) Robbins:

1. *Eliza Robbins*, bapt. 29 July, 1798; d. 12 Dec., 1802.
2. *Martha Robbins*, b. 10 April, 1801; m. in Kirkland, N. Y., in 1821, Horace, son of Nathan and Malinda Marsh, b. in 1798, d. 14 Sept., 1854, at Esmen, Ill.

Children of Horace and Martha (Robbins) Marsh:

(1) Myra Frances Marsh, b. Kirkland, N. Y., 12 March, 1827; m. William Rogers Babcock, b. at Hartford, N. Y., 10 April, 1816; d. at Esmen, Ill., 11 Sept., 1866.

Children of William R. and Myra F. (Marsh) Babcock:

(1) Mary Babcock, b. 6 Jan., 1848; m. John Hossack, of Ottawa, Can.
(2) Charles Babcock, b. 21 March, 1851; d. at Esmen, Ill., 14 Oct., 1855.
(3) Helen Marsh Babcock, b. 14 Sept., 1856; d. 30 Nov., 1859.
(4) Ella Babcock, b. 25 April, 1860; m. Fred. N. Hossack.
(5) William Jeffers Babcock, b. 2 March, 1863; d. 21 Oct., 1866.

(2) Henry Danforth Marsh, b. 2 March, 1834; d. at Courtland, Neb., 18 Dec., 1886; m. Esmen, Ill., 25 Dec., 1855, Sarah Camp, b. Naugatuck, Conn., 18 Jan., 1835.

3. *Eliza Robbins*, b. 29 June, 1803; m. 12 Oct., 1832, Horatio Nelson Byington, son of Jonah B., b. at Hartford.
4. *Elnora L. Robbins*, bapt. 20 April, 1806; d. 14 Jan., 1809.
5. *Almira A. Robbins*, b. 14 June, 1808; d. 14 Aug., 1888; m. 8 March, 1830, at New Hartford, N. Y.,

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Gates Warren, son of Dea. Warren and Hannah (Gates) Chapman, b. 3 Aug., 1801, d. 12 Feb., 1877.

Children of Gates W. and Almira A. (Robbins) Chapman:

(1) Edward Tallman Chapman, b. 26 April, 1834.

(2) Frederick Robbins Chapman, b. 23 Jan., 1836; m. (1) 19 March, 1862, Samantha Louisa, dau. of Darius Beebe, b. Brookfield, N. Y., 20 July, 1839, d. 2 Nov., 1869; he m. (2) 26 June, 1877, Mary Jane, dau. of John and Eliz. (Bott) Joyce, of Scotland, b. N. Hartford, N. Y., 6 Sept., 1851.

(3) William Henry Chapman, b. 19 April, 1842: did good service in the War of the Rebellion; m. 2 Jan., 1867, Mary Elizabeth, dau. of Stephen and Lucinda (White) Johnson, b. Norwich, N. Y., 7 Feb., 1848. Child: Elnora Chapman, b. 10 June, 1874; d. 6 May, 1875.

6. *Elnora L. Robbins*, bapt. 5 May, 1811; d. 4 June, 1879; m. 1857, Samuel Holden Parsons Hall, son of Dr. Wm. Brenton Hall (Yale Coll. 1786) and Mehitabel (dau. of S. Holden Parsons, Maj. Gen. commanding the Conn. line of the Continental army), a merchant in Binghamton, N. Y. Mr. Hall was b. at Middletown, 23 June, 1804; d. at Binghamton, Feb., 1877.

iii. SARAH, b. at Rocky Hill, 17 Sept., 1779; d. Jan. 5, 1861; m. 16 Nov., 1797, Luther Goodrich, who commanded the sloop Almira, in the coasting trade, b. at Westfield, Conn., 16 July, 1776, d. 12 Nov., 1832; he was son of Peter and Bathsheba (Miller) Goodrich, of East Haddam.

Children of Luther and Sarah (Danforth) Goodrich:

1. *Sarah Goodrich*, b. E. Haddam, 1 July, 1800; d. 10 July, 1825.
2. *Miranda Goodrich*, b. 8 Aug., 1803; d. 25 Feb., 1828.
3. *George Goodrich*, b. 8 Sept., 1805; d. Waterbury, Conn., 29 Dec., 1879; m. (1) Bristol, Conn., 21 May, 1828, Charlotte Lucinda, dau. of Ira and Cynthia (Shaler) Ives, b. Oct., 1809, d. 29 Oct., 1848. He m. (2) 27 March, 1861, Mrs. Charlotte (Upson) Birge, b. Waterbury, 4 Sept., 1814, d. 6 June, 1880.

Children of George and Charlotte L. (Ives) Goodrich.

(1) Almira Miranda Goodrich, b. 29 Dec., 1829.

(2) Augustus Ives Goodrich, b. 16 Sept., 1833; m. Helen T. Corbett. Children: Frederic Samuel Goodrich, b. 9 Sep., 1865; Charles Gurley Goodrich, b. 19 Sep., 1869.

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(3) George Luther Goodrich, b. 10 May, 1836; res. Bristol, Conn.

(4) Samuel Root Goodrich, b. 8 Oct., 1839; m. (1) 28 May, 1862, Anna Eliza, dau. of Lucas and Clarinda (Tousey) Barnes, b. at Newtown, Conn., 11 Oct., 1839; d. at Greenwich, Conn., 7 May, 1893. He m. (2) Almira Caroline Watts, b. in Maine, 13 Sept., 1852. Ch.: Charles Augustus Goodrich, b. 22 Nov. 1867; Horace Barnes Goodrich, b. 22 Sept., 1874.

4. *Hepsey Penfield Goodrich*, b. 24 Jan., 1809; d. 12 May, 1871; m. 6 May, 1846, William P. Dorrance, b. 14 Nov., 1812, d. at Andover, Conn., 6 Dec., 1879; representative, state senator, postmaster; had the entire confidence of the community.

Children of William P. and Hepsey P. (Goodrich) Dorrance:

(1) William Gershom Dorrance, b. 4 April, 1847; d. 20 Feb., 1877.

(2) Henry George Dorrance, b. 10 Dec., 1849; res. Andover, Conn.; m. 30 May, 1888, Elizabeth M. Thompson.

iv. ELIZABETH, b. 23 Aug., 1789; d. 29 March, 1852; m. 25 March, 1819, Merriam Williams, b. at Rocky Hill, 3 July, 1785, d. there 10 May, 1857; he was son of Corporal Eliel and Comfort (Morton) Williams, the father having been a member of the local Committee of Safety, at the opening of the Revolution, and a soldier in the war, a public spirited citizen. Merriam was a tanner and currier and master shoemaker; also a farmer. His brother, Rev. Comfort Williams, was the first minister of Rochester, N. Y.

Children of Merriam and Elizabeth (Danforth) Williams:

1. *Thomas Danforth Williams*, b. 4 Dec., 1819; d. 4 Dec., 1881; m. Mary Jane Boardman, b. 26 March, 1820, d. 7 Aug., 1888. Chil.: Luther Boardman Williams, b. 7 June, 1844; Caroline Elizabeth Williams, b. 6 Nov., 1847; Charles Merriam Williams, b. 13 Nov., 1851; Anne Jane Williams, b. 17 Sept., 1858.

2. *Martha Tallman Williams*, b. 21 Dec., 1821; d. 27 Aug., 1871.

3. *Mary Elizabeth Williams*, b. 2 Feb., 1826; d. 12 Dec., 1829.

4. *Elizabeth Morton Williams*, b. 31 Dec., 1830; d. 2 March, 1891.

5. *Sarah Goodrich Williams*, b. 16 Aug., 1834; a valuable contributor to this book. Residence, Hartford, Conn.

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vi. ALMIRA, b. 7 Nov., 1794; d. 12 Dec., 1801.

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JOSEPH[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 17 Aug., 1758; died at Hartford, 17 Dec., 1788; married 12 April, 1781, Sarah King.*

Children:

i. SALLY,[7] b. 3 Feb., d. 3 April, 1782.
160. ii. JOSEPH, b. 14 March, 1783.
iii. A twin of Joseph, died same day.
iv. SALLY, b. 1 July, 1785; d. 17 July, 1815; m. —— Ranney.

Children of —— and Sally (Danforth) Ranney:

1. *Roderick H. Ranney.*
2. *Jacob Ranney.*
3. *Sally Ranney.*
4. *Martha Ranney.*

v. EDWARD, b. 12 Jan., d. 1 Dec., 1787.
vi. PATTY, b. 6 Feb., 1789; m. N. M. Lane; res. Troy, N. Y.

Children of N. M. and Patty (Danforth) Lane:

1. *Mary Ann Lane*, b. 5 Feb., 1813; m. 9 Jan., 1833, Anson Atwood, of Troy, N. Y. Child: Mary Atwood.
2. *Sarah Danforth Lane*, b. 10 March, 1815; d. 10 April, 1850; m. 30 April, 1834, Francis J. Kerney.

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EDWARD[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 20 March, 1765; died at Hartford, 24 April, 1830; married Jerusha, only child of Isaac Moseley, M.D., of Glastonbury, Conn.; she died 16 Jan., 1853.

Children:

i. MARY TABER,[7] b. 1793; d. 22 June, 1827; m. Nov., 1816, John Beach.
ii. JERUSHA, m. Sept., 1828, John Beach, formerly husband of her sister Mary; d. 8 Aug., 1859.

John Beach had children Edward D. Beach, of Hartford; John T. Beach, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; George Beach, d. young; a daughter who m. —— Knapp, and res. at Chicago, Ill.

iii. ELIZA, b. 8 Feb., 1897; d. at res. of J. T. Beach, 12 July, 1887.
161. iv. EDWARD JOHN, b. 19 Feb., 1799.
162. v. ISAAC MOSELEY, b. 11 Dec., 1800.
vi. JOHN, b. and d. in 1802.
vii. GEORGE MERRICK, d. at Hartford, Conn., 5 Nov., 1852.
viii. JULIA, d. at Jersey City, N. J., July, 1855.
ix. LUCINDA LUCRETIA, d. at Hartford, Sept., 1855.

* After her husband's death, Mrs. Sarah (King) Danforth married second, 30 Sept., 1793, Ambrose Seymour. Children: (1) Edward H. Seymour, b. 20 Dec., 1794, d. 18 June, 1796; (2) Mary Hartshorne Seymour, b. 28 Dec., 1798.

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JONATHAN[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*[4], *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 14 Dec., 1766; died at sea, Sept., 1804; married at Guilford, Conn., 27 Oct., 1793, Lucy Ward, of Ashford, Conn., born 19 Feb., 1774, died at Hartford, Conn., 25 May, 1858. (Her father cared for the women and children of Ashford, when men had gone to the war (Revolution), till he was drafted; died on the march to New York; his widow married (2) a Mr. Bullock.)

Children:

i. LUCY,[7] b. 29 Aug., 1794; d. 9 Jan., 1868; m. Benjamin Crampton, b. 1783, d. at the South, 1819.

ii. MARIA, b. 25 Sept., 1795; d. 1827; m. 10 Sept., 1817, Nathaniel Spencer, b. 1788, d. at Hartford, 16 Jan., 1823.

Child of Nathaniel and Maria (Danforth) Spencer:

*Maria Burdell Spencer*, b. 1 Aug., 1818; m. 10 Sept., 1839, Simeon Palmer, Jr., M. D., son of Simeon and Mary (Caldwell) Palmer, b. at Boston, 2 July, 1813, d. at Dorchester, 9 May, 1890; Yale Univ., 1833; Harvard Med.; res. 30 years at Milton, where the children were born; then rem. to Fairhaven, afterward to Dorchester. Mrs. Palmer d. 23 June, 1895.

Children of Simeon and Maria B. (Spencer) Palmer:

(1) Maria Caldwell Palmer, b. 27 Oct., 1840; m. at Fairhaven, 18 Sept., 1873, Francis Walter Houghton, son of Elijah and Elizabeth Stoddard (Hathaway) Houghton, b. in N. Y. city, 22 April, 1835.

(2) Simeon Palmer, b. 29 May, 1842; d. 16 Jan., 1877, killed by Indians or outlaws in Texas.

(3) Alice Caroline Palmer, b. 12 July, 1844; d. at Milton,, 17 Dec., 1870.

(4) Lucy Danforth Palmer, b. 1 Oct., 1845; d. April, 1847.

(5) Lucy Danforth Palmer, b. 26 Dec., 1848.

(6) Caldwell Palmer, b. 15 March, 1851; m. at San Antonio, Tex., 25 Dec., 1888, Mrs. Annie Louise (Hough) Carter.

(7) Sophia French Palmer, b. 26 May, 1853; sometime supt. City Hospital, Rochester, N. Y.; editor Am. Journal of Nursing.

(8) Francis Richmond Palmer, b. 25 Nov., 1855; m. 15 Aug., 1880, Mary Effie North.

(9) Edward Dudley Palmer, b. 7 June, 1859; m. 13 April, 1886, Irene, dau. of Augustus and Virginia (Noch) Kaye.

(10) Ida Russell Palmer, b. 8 Feb., 1861.

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iii. AMELIA, b. 27 May, 1800; d. 10 June, 1876; m. first, 12 Sept., 1819, Orin, son of Benjamin Webster, b. 4 Sept., 1797, d. at Litchfield, Conn., 1830.

Children of Orin and Amelia (Danforth) Webster:

1. *Benjamin Crampton Webster*, b. 8 Oct., 1821; d. 14 Jan., 1893; m. in N. Y. city, 6 Feb., 1847, Elizabeth Wilbur.

Children of Benj. C. and Elizabeth (Wilbur) Webster:

(1) Marcus Wilbur Webster, b. 1850, d. 1854.
(2) Eliza Campbell Webster, b. 18 Jan., 1852.
(3) Benjamin Webster, b. 25 March, 1857.
(4) Albert Webster, b. 3 Aug., 1859.
(5) Joseph Wilbur Webster, b. and d. in 1864.

2. *Orin Webster.*
3. *Jonathan Danforth Webster.*

Amelia married second, 21 Nov., 1837, Solomon Olmstead; resided at Minneapolis, Minn.

Child of Solomon and Amelia (Danforth) (Webster) Olmstead:

4. *Amelia Electa Olmstead*, d. at Hartford; m. —— Tucker.

iv. CAROLINE, b. 3 May, 1802; d. 29 Aug., 1829; m. 25 Dec., 1822, Norman (son of Norman and Mary (Boardman) Smith), b. 11 Nov., 1800; d. Oct., 1833; he is spoken of as a "generous philanthropist, a devoted Christian, as well as a man of eminent business ability." A memorial of his life was written by Rev. Joel Hawes, D.D., of Hartford, Conn. The Conn. *Observer* (Hartford, 16 Dec., 1833) gives a list of his bequests: Board of Missions, $3000, Home Miss. Soc., $2000, Bible Soc., $1000, Tract Soc., $1000, Education Soc., $1000, Sunday School Union, $1000, and many private bequests. It adds: "He was a mechanic, acquired his money by his own industry, was amiable in disposition, upright in his dealings, and was universally respected."

Children of Norman, Jr. and Caroline (Danforth) Smith:

1. *Mary Boardman Smith*, b. 31 July, 1824; d. 11 Nov., 1880; m. Rev. William Weston Patton, D.D., son of Rev. William and Mary (Weston) Patton, D.D., and grandson of Col. Robert Patton, first postmaster of Philadelphia, b. in N. Y. city, 19 Oct., 1821; d. at Westfield, N. J., 31 Dec., 1889. Dr. Patton was one of the foremost ministers (Congregational) of Chicago, Ill., for many years; Hartford, Conn., 22 years; one of the founders and long editor of "The Advance"; later, president of Howard University.

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Children of William W. and Mary B. (Smith) Patton:

(1) Norman Smith Patton, b. 10 July, 1852.
(2) Robert Weston Patton, b. 29 May, 1854.
(3) Caroline Roberts Patton, b. 30 March, 1856; m. 26 Oct., 1886, Rev. David P. Hatch; d. 19 June, 1893.
(4) Horace Bushnell Patton, b. 8 Sept.. 1858.
(5) Rev. Cornelius Howard Patton, b. 25 Dec., 1860.
(6) Mary Amelia Patton, b. 22 Sept., 1864; m. Martin Welles.

2. *Caroline Danforth Smith*, b. 28 Sept., 1827; d. 13 Dec. 1874; m. 17 Nov., 1847, Marshall Owen Roberts, b N. Y. city, 22 March, 1814; d. 11 Sept., 1880; son of Dr. Owen (b. Wales) and ——Newell (b. Birmingham, Eng.) Roberts, who came to N. Y., in 1798. He was one of the foremost business men of his day; leader in gigantic railroad and steamship systems, coal mining companies, banks, etc.; president of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., a grand helper of our government during the War of the Rebellion.

She was a remarkable woman, holding a position in the highest social scale and having large wealth at her command; she founded no less than four important benevolent societies for local usefulness in New York city, beside aiding numerous others. A personal friend of President Lincoln and other leaders of the nation; very efficient in movements for soldiers' relief and other patriotic movements. She was very active in religious work, too. She died of cancer, in London; among her latest words were these: "Bless God for all He has done and for all that is to come."

Child of Marshall O. and Caroline D. (Smith) Roberts:

Caroline Marshall Roberts, b. 26 Dec., 1849; d. at London, Eng., 24 June, 1893; m. 13 April, 1867, Ames Van Wart (a grandson of Henry Van Wart, a native of New York, but resident and merchant in Birmingham, Eng.; at whose house his brother-in-law Washington Irving, wrote Bracebridge Hall, and part of the Sketch Book. Child Evelyn Van Wart, b. in New York, in April, 1870.

3. *Amelia Smith*, b. 1 Jan., 1830; d. 19 April, 1893; m. 24 July, 1861, Oliver Grant Terry, many years president of the Ætna Bank of Hartford; he d. 7 Feb., 1873. Child: Mary Amelia Terry, b. 19 Oct., 1863.

163. v. JONATHAN, b. 23 June, 1804.

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WILLIAM[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 7 Feb., 1769; died there 9 Dec., 1820; married 2 May, 1793, Huldah Scovell, born in 1770, died 3 Jan., 1854, aged 84 years. He is said to have been a carpenter and builder.

Children:

164. i. WILLIAM,[7] b. 30 Jan., 1794.
ii. MARY, b. 31 Aug., 1795; d. 13 Dec., 1815.
iii. HULDAH, b. 14 July, 1797; d. 2 Sept., 1835.
iv. JOHN, b. 23 July, 1799; d. 5 Dec., 1811.
165. v. JOSIAH, b. 18 July, 1803.
vi. EMILY, b. 20 Aug., 1805; d. 20 April, 1869.
vii. FRANCES, b. 16 Jan., 1808; d. 15 June, 1817.

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DANIEL[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn, 25 Jan., 1771; settled at Hartford, Conn.; died 3 Dec., 1808; married 2 Jan., 1799, Lucinda, daughter of Lieut. John and Sibyl (Hall) Montague, born 6 June, 1777; died 3 July, 1853; she survived her husband and married second, 3 Dec., 1817, Major Timothy Hatch.* She was descended from the pioneers, Richard and Abigail Montague, of Boston, 1646; Wethersfield, Conn., 1651; Hadley, Mass., later; through their son John and his wife Hannah (Smith); John and Abigail (Smith); John and Thankful (Sheldon).

Children:

i. LUCINDA,[7] b. 7 Oct., 1799; d. 14 Sept., 1803.
ii. DANIEL, b. 22 Nov., 1801; d. 6 Nov., 1820.
iii. JOHN MONTAGUE, b. 19 Jan., 1804; became a printer in N. Y. city; d. at Hartford, 31 Dec., 1834 [or 29 Jan., 1835].

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SAMUEL[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 10 April, 1774; died at Hartford, Conn., 11 April, 1816; married Melinda Seymour, of Hartford, born 1774; died April, 1826, aged 52.

* Children of Timothy and (his third wife) Lucinda (Montague) (Danforth) Hatch: (1) Henry Hatch, b. 22 Oct., 1818, d. Pierpont, N. Y., 31 March, 1874; (2) Lucinda Ann Hatch, b. 29 March, 1821; (3) Frances Hatch, b. 16 Aug., 1823.

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Children:

i. CAROLINE,[7] bapt. March, 1801; died young.
ii. ELIZABETH, bapt. Dec., 1802; m. Edwin Benjamin; child Mary Elizabeth Benjamin, m. Frank E. Wiggin, then of Washington, now of San Francisco, Calif.
iii. MELINDA AMELIA, bapt. July, 1805; d. March, 1826.
iv. CATHERINE, bapt. July, 1807; d. 1864.
v. MARTHA JACOBS, bapt. Nov., 1808; d. Feb., 1813.
vi. HARRIET, bapt. June, 1810; d. 21 March, 1886.
vii. PHILURA, bapt. July, 1812; d. 15 Oct., 1886.
viii. SOPHIA, bapt. April, 1814.
166. ix. SAMUEL, b. 8 June, 1816.
The four sisters, Catherine, Harriet, Philura and Sophia, conducted for many years a Select School in New York city; resided about 1892 at 134 East Fiftieth st., and later at Old Ladies' Home, in Hartford, Conn.

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ELIJAH[6] (*Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, 12 Sept., 1762; died at Pelham, 29 Oct., 1814; married Sarah Curtis. "Daughters married Newcomb, Blair, Crozier and (Belinda) Courier," says a descendant.

Children:

166*a*. i. NAHUM,[7] b. 20 Oct., 1791.
ii. SARAH.
iii. BELINDA, m. —— Courier.
iv. SUSANNAH.
v. LUCINDA.
vi. ELIJAH, "married and resided at Indianapolis, Ind."

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THOMAS[6] (*Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, 17 May, 1766; died in Boston 27 Jan., 1836; married at Framingham 26 April, 1804, Mary Jones, daughter of Gilbert and Jane (Jones) Marshall, of Framingham, born 9 Jan., 1786, died 7 Jan., 1866.

He kept the country store at Norton, which was the central gathering place of the people of that rural town. He was town treasurer, town clerk, captain of the military company; a magistrate of recognized ability; his advice was sought and his aid freely given in many cases. He was a helpful friend of his pastor, Rev. Pitt Clarke, and with skill and fondness for music he was leader of the church choir, in which his children, inheriting his taste and talent, took part. Rev. Joseph W. Cross now writes of him, after an interval of more than seventy years: "He was a wise, just and good man, a valuable citi-

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zen, a true friend and consistent Christian." Of Mrs. Danforth he writes: "One of the excellent of earth." She was well educated and of refined tastes, and a notable housewife. While giving careful attention to the details of a large household she found time for reading, and always of the best. She survived her husband many years, the latest of which she passed in the family of her youngest daughter.

Children:

i. THOMAS MARSHALL,[7] b. 9 Jan., 1805; d. 22 Jan., 1828, unm.

ii. MARY JANE, b. 10 May, 1807; from childhood she was noted for her beauty and winning manners. She early became engaged to Joseph W. Cross, then a student with Rev. Pitt Clarke, and became his wife on his graduating at Harvard. They resided in Chatham where Mr. Cross was engaged in teaching. She died soon—in Sept. 1830—and was buried in the family burial place of Richard Sears, Esq. Her infant child died a little later.

Rev. Joseph Warren Cross was b. in East Bridgewater, 16 June, 1808; H. U. 1828; was ordained 1 Oct., 1834; six years pastor of Congregational church in Boxboro; removed to West Boylston, where he was minister for twenty years and continued to reside (with brief services elsewhere) till he had completed a residence of fifty years. After three years in Worcester he now (1902) resides with two daughters in Lawrence, enjoying at the advanced age of 94, the distinction of being the oldest living graduate of Harvard University, with comfortable health, and the respect due to a long and useful life.

iii. EDWARD RICHMOND, b. 17 April, 1809; d. 25 April, 1840, unm.

iv. LOUISA APPLETON, b. 8 April, 1812; d. 27 May, 1892; was married by Rev. John Pierpont, 27 Sept., 1838, to George Drake Crossman, b. in Brighton, 5 April, 1813. Losing both parents, he was, at eight years of age, adopted by Judge, afterwards Gov. Marcus Morton, of Taunton. Educated in public schools, he removed in 1837 to Michigan; was in dry goods trade in Detroit till 1849; returned to Boston and New York, continuing his Western trade. Resided in Dorchester; died 13 July, 1890.

Mrs. Crossman, notable for quick intelligence, and for a voice of very unusual compass and sympathetic, musical quality, joined with her sister and a few select associates in church choir and in musical club to the delight of those privileged to hear. Fond of home, which she managed most skillfully, her winning and hospitable ways attracted many friends. She resided during her latest years in Dorchester; was interred near her parents, sister and many of their families, in a beautiful family-lot near the tower in Forest Hills Cemetery.

Children of George Drake and Louisa A. (Danforth) Crossman:

1. *Mary Louisa Crossman*, b. 12 Aug., 1840; m. 15 June, 1865, Henry Martyn Aiken; d. 27 April, 1869.

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Mr. John Joseph May,
Mrs. Caroline S. (Danforth) May,
William Chance May.

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Child of Henry M. and Mary L. (Crossman) Aiken:

Mary Danforth Aiken, b. June, 1866; d. 7 April, 1868.

2. *William Coffin Crossman*, b. 1 Aug., 1844; d. 9 Sept., 1846.

3. *Caroline May Crossman*, b. 7 July, 1847; m. 12 Sept., 1866, William Barnard, son of John A. and Elizabeth (Winsor) Bird, b. in Brookline, 22 Dec., 1844; entered the drug and drysaltery establishment of which his father had been the head, and has continued in it. Residence, Boston and Crow-point, Hingham.

Children of Wm. B. and Caroline M. (Crossman) Bird:

(1) Marion Bird, b. 7 Jan., 1868.
(2) Reginald William Bird, b. 22 June, 1872; a partner with his father in the old firm of J. A. and W. Bird & Co.
(3) Elizabeth Winsor Bird, b. 1 April, 1883.

v. CAROLINE SIMPKINS, b. 20 Jan., 1817; d. 29 June, 1900; m. 20 July, 1837, John Joseph, son of Samuel and Mary (Goddard) May, b. in Boston, 15 Oct., 1813. He was a pupil of Dea. Greele, of the Pub. Latin and Eng. High Schools, and of Gideon F. Thayer, afterwards founder of Chauncy-Hall School; partner with his father and Calvin W. Clark, in the hardware and metals business, established by the former, for many years; afterward continuing the business with other partners. Retired; resides 987 Dorchester Ave., Dorchester; many years a member and officer of the First Parish church of Roxbury. In September, 1874, in company with his cousin, Rev. Joseph May, visited Mayfield, in Sussex, England, where many of the name formerly lived, and from the vicinity of which it has been supposed the immigrant ancestor of the May family of America came. Was one of the committee to prepare and publish the volume of May Genealogy; with others he has compiled the present volume. Mrs. May, a model mother and housewife, was noted among her friends for her musical talent, inherited from her father, which she has also transmitted to her children. Visited Europe in 1874, California in 1875, and made other wide journeyings. She was spared to a ripe age, presiding with sweet grace in her home till more than eighty-three years were rounded out. In 1887 they celebrated their golden wedding.

Mrs. Caroline S. (Danforth) May traced her lineage from celebrated Mayflower passengers, as shown below:

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|---|---|
| John Alden | — Priscilla Mullins |
| Ruth Alden | — John Bass |
| Mary Bass | — William Copeland |
| Benjamin Copeland | — Sarah Allen |
| Susannah Copeland | — Elijah Danforth |

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Thomas Danforth — Mary Jones Marshall
Caroline Simpkins Danforth.

Children of John J. and Caroline S. (Danforth) May:

1. *Augustus Edward May*, b. 26 June, 1838; d. 28 Feb., 1846.
2. *Caroline May*, b. 21 June, 1840; m. 15 Oct., 1868, Alexander Henry Davis, b. 20 Oct., 1839. Residence, London, Eng.

   Children of Alexander H. and Caroline (May) Davis:

   (1) Mary May Davis, b. in Dorchester, U. S. A., 10 Feb., 1870; m. in the family winter home, Floridiana, Naples, 20 May, 1901, John Fletcher Moulton, Esq., K.C., M.P., F.R.S. He was senior wrangler and first Smith's prize man at Cambridge in mathematics: is eminent authority in Patent Law on both sides of the Atlantic.

   (2) Ethel Davis, b. 26 Oct., 1873; m. in St. Paul's Knightsbridge, London, 25 Oct., 1894, Major William Harrison, an officer in the British army, late 11th Hussars, Prince Albert's Own; now serves in 3d Loyal North Lancaster Reserves, as Major; has done distinguished service in the Soudan, and is now (1902) on duty in South Africa. Residence West Hill, Staleybridge, Lancashire, and London. Children:

   [i] George Herbert Harrison, b. 12 Oct., 1895.

   [ii] Cecil Alexander Harrison, b. 8 Mar., 1899.

3. *Samuel May*, b. 29 March, 1842; m. 10 Jan., 1871, Helen McClees, b. 28 Nov., 1848. He was in the 44th Mass. Vol. Inf., in the Civil War. Partner with his father in the firm of May & Co. Resides in Dorchester. Children:

   (1) Helen Goddard May, b. 29 Nov., 1871.

   (2) Edith May, b. 16 Oct., 1873.

4. *Mary Louisa May*, b. 10 June, 1844; m. 10 June, 1867, Gershom Crayton Winsor, b. in Duxbury, 19 Feb., 1840; adjutant in the 45th Mass. Vol. Inf., and on the staff of Gen. Amory, in the Civil War. Children:

   (1) Mary May Winsor, b. 30 Aug., 1869.

   (2) Florence May Winsor, b. 11 Nov., 1873; m. 15 June, 1898, John Maitland Brewer Churchill, b. in Dorchester, 18 Jan., 1858, member of the law firm of Churchill & Churchill, Boston; d. 29 July, 1900. Child: John Maitland Brewer Churchill, b. 20 June, 1899.

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5. *John Pierpont May*, b. 24 Feb., 1846; m. (1) 30 Oct., 1873, Rebecca Clymer, dau. of Nicholas Hoppin and Susan Ward (Clymer) Bradford, of Providence, R. I., b. 9 Sept., 1848, d. 2 June, 1889. He m. (2) 16 June, 1897, Annie Bradford, a sister of the former wife, b. 5 April, 1860. Children:
   (1) Margaret Bradford May, b. 30 Oct., 1874.
   (2) Josephine May, b. 18 Aug., 1878.
   (3) Nicholas Bradford May, b. 25 Nov., 1883.
6. *George Putnam May*, b. 24 Feb., 1846 (twin with John Pierpont); d. 16 Nov., 1889; m. 23 Oct., 1879, Alice Drummond, dau. of Caleb Clark and Mary Ann (Eastman) Walworth, b. 27 July, 1857; she survived Mr. May, and m. (2) J. Russell May, of Boston; she d. 7 July, 1901. Children:
   (1) Leslie Walker May, b. 18 Sept., 1880; m. 18 April, 1901, in Emanuel church, Boston, Howard Coonley, of Chicago and New York.
   (2) Dorothy May, b. 7 Sept., 1884.
7. *William Chance May*, b. 27 Sept., 1853; grad. 1873, Mass. Inst. Technology; would have accepted appointment as asst. prof. of Chemistry therein after a year in Berlin, but impaired health forbade. Medical aid here and in Europe failed to arrest the progress of disease, and he died 11 March, 1878.
8. *Josephine May*, b. 16 Jan., 1856; a favorite with teachers and loved by all for her cultivated intellect, refined and gentle manners and thoughtfulness for others, had just finished the course of study in Mr. N. L. Hooper's school, when she died, in her seventeenth year, 9 Sept., 1872.

vi. JOSEPH MORTON, b. 12 May, 1824; d. unm., 10 May, 1878; he served in the 44th Mass. V. I., in the War of the Rebellion; was for years engaged in the Dry Goods and Clothing trade.

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DEACON SAMUEL[6] (*Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, 16 Oct., 1773; died at Bristol, N. H., 29 Jan., 1860; married 12 April, 1808, Mehitabel, daughter of Gilbert and Jane (Jones) Marshall, born in Framingham, Mass., 30 Jan., 1788, died 8 Feb., 1868. Removed to Pelham, then to Dana. In 1844 removed to Bristol, N. H. He was warmly attached to the church, of which he was many years a deacon, both in Dana and in Bristol; his eldest son became a minister, and his youngest son was for twelve years a foreign missionary.

Their closing years were passed in the family of their daughter, Mrs. White.

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Children:

i. RICHARD SEARS,[7] b. 26 Jan., 1809; d. 4 Aug., 1818.

167. ii. HENRY MARSHALL, b. at Norton, 10 Aug., 1810.

iii. ABIGAIL STIMSON, b. 4 Nov., 1811; d. 8 June, 1885; m. 14 Sept., 1830, Warren White, many years a successful tanner at Bristol, N. H.; he was born 3 May, 1803, and d. 12 May, 1874.

Children of Warren and Abigail S. (Danforth) White:

1. *Marshall Warren White*, b. 21 Aug., 1832, m. 30 Sept., 1849, Eliza Reynolds, dau. of Rev. —— McCurdy, of Pelham, b. 14 March, 1830.

Children of Marshall W. and Eliza R. (McCurdy) White:

(1) Clara D'Alba White, b. 21 Aug., 1850; m. Homer Roby; d. 7 April, 1872.

(2) Charles Henry White, b. 15 Nov., 1854; a dentist in Danvers; m. Etta Bella Bucklin.

(3) Edward Warren White, b. 11 Jan., 1857; a dentist at Cambridge; m. Kate McQuestion, of Plymouth.

(4) Helen Marion White, b. 12 Oct., 1863; m. Arthur W. Prescott.

(5) William Converse White, b. 31 May, 1865; cashier Bristol Savings Bank.

(6) Karl Marshall White, b. 22 Feb., 1870.

2. *Anna Maria White*, b. 23 June, 1833; d. 28 Aug., 1869; m. 22 July, 1852, David Porter Prescott, b. at Bristol, N. H., 14 July, 1828, and there d. 3 Jan., 1895.

Children of David P. and Anna M. Prescott:

(1) Abby Louisa Prescott, b. 10 Oct., 1853; d. 27 Sept., 1876; m. Charles Edgar Fowler; he d. 1889.

(2) Ida May Prescott, b. 28 Nov., 1855; d. 15 March, 1856.

(3) Katharine White Prescott, b. 19 Aug., 1865; m. 17 June, 1895, at the Congregational Church in Bristol, William Howard Crafts.

3. *George Hudson White*, b. 13 Nov., 1841; m. 2 Nov., 1862, Roxy Dolloff Locke. Children:

(1) Annette May White, b. 22 May, 1863; m. Walter F. Prince.

(2) Warren White, b. 1 April, 1867; m. Catherine Burns of Lowell.

(3) Henry White, b. 21 July, 1869; d. 24 April, 1870.

(4) Frederick White, b. 2 May, 1872.

(5) Walter White.

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4. *Helen Abby White*, b. 25 Jan., 1846; m. (1) Henry Arthur Taylor, b. 18 June, 1847; d. 25 Sept., 1877; she m. (2) —— Farrar; she d. in 1895.

iv. BENJAMIN, b. 24 Jan., d. 9 March, 1814.

v. NANCY MARSHALL, b. 24 Jan., 1815; d. 1 Nov., 1864; m. 5 May, 1842, Theodore N. Patterson. Child: Henry Newell Patterson, b. in July, 1845,

168. vi. APPLETON HOWE, b. 8 July, 1817.

169. vii. RICHARD SEARS, b. 26 June, 1819.

170. viii. GEORGE PALMER, b. 18 Oct., 1821.

ix. ALMON HODGES, b. 24 June, 1824; m. 9 Nov., 1848, Hannah Rowe.

x. JANE MARSHALL, b. 12 June, 1831; d. at Henderson, N. Y., 13 March, 1854; m. 12 June, 1831, Rev. Oliver Pritchard.

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ASA[6] (*Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Norton, 6 April, 1779; died there, 22 July, 1830; married first, 27 Nov., 1806, Hannah, daughter of Eleazer and Catherine ("Caty") (Carpenter) Walker, of Norton, born 12 June, 1785, died 3 June, 1823. He married second, 21 May, 1826, Phebe, daughter of Michael and Phebe (French) Sweet, of Norton, born Sept., 1795, died 22 April, 1867.

Children:

172. i. GEORGE WALKER,[7] b. 5 Sept., 1807.

ii. CONTENT WALKER, b. 6 June, 1809; d. at Winthrop, Me., 28 July, 1856; m. first, Walter Haines, of Winthrop, Me.; he d. 15 May, 1840. She m. second, 15 July, 1843, John May, of Winthrop, b. 11 July, 1813.

Children of Walter and Content W. (Danforth) Haines:

1. *Mary Jane Lewis Haines*, b. 22 April, 1831; d. 30 Aug., 1878.
2. *Angeline Elizabeth Haines*, b. 13 April, 1833; d. 4 May, 1857; m. 21 Feb., 1853, Wm. G. Sargent, of Rockland, Me.
3. *Ellen Content Haines*, b. 6 June, 1835; d. March, 1863; m. 17 Dec., 1854, Edward R., son of Elkanah and Maria S. Spear, of Rockland, b. 1 Jan., 1833. Children: Edward Spear and Ellen Maria Spear.
4. *Edward Danforth Haines*; res. Rockland, Me.

Children of John and Content W. (Danforth) May:

1. *Charlotte Brooks May*, b. 3 July, 1845; m. 15 March, 1865, Edward R. Spear (his 2d wife). Children: Walter May Spear and Wm. Winthrop Spear.
2. *John Danforth May*, b. 17 Oct., 1848; m. 15 Jan., 1871, Clara M., dau. of Oscar F. and Elizabeth Healy. Children:

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(1) Edward Spear May, b. 18 Nov., 1873.
(2) Martha Blair May, b. 26 June, 1876.
(3) John May.

3. *Ezra Whitman May*, b. 1 July, 1851.

iii. EMILY STIMSON, b. 17 April, 1811; d. at Winthrop, 1836.

173. iv. ASA HAMILTON, b. 4 June, 1813.

v. HANNAH JANE, b. 15 Nov., 1815; d. June 1, 1901. From her tenth year she attended school in Providence, residing with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Almon D. Hodges; then for twelve years with her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Pond, at Bucksport, Maine; after which she was, during fifty-five years, a helpful and much loved member of the family of her cousin, Mrs. Caroline May, in Dorchester.

vi. SARAH HODGES, b. 5 March, 1818; d. at Washington, Ill., 1852; m. Charles Davis Elmes, son of Eliphalet and Lavinia (Macomber) Elmes, of Middleboro and Taunton, b. at Middleboro, 16 Sept., 1817, d. at Taunton, 14 March, 1853.

Children of Charles D. and Sarah H. (Danforth) Elmes:

1. *Danforth Hodges Elmes*, b. Sept., 1842; d. 17 April, 1848.
2. *Sarah C. Elmes*, b. 17 Feb., 1844; d. of cholera, at Washington, Ill., summer of 1852.
3. *Charles R. Elmes*, b. 20 June, 1846; d. same time.
4. *Helen Augusta Elmes*, b. 3 Jan., 1848; m. 20 April, 1876, Matthew Shepard Bolles, b. 21 May, 1844, of the well known firm of Matthew Bolles & Co., bankers and brokers, Boston; he d. 1 Feb., 1902.

Children of M. Shepard and Helen A. Bolles:

(1) Reginald Fairfax Bolles, b. 27 Feb., 1877; H. U. 1900.
(2) Matthew Bolles, b. 19 May, 1881; student at H. U. 1902.

5. *Ada Jane Elmes*, b. 9 Nov., 1849.

vii. CORDELIA ENFIELD, b. 1 July, 1820; m. Bradford Weeks.

viii. ORILLA HAINES, b. 24 Feb., 1829; m. 30 Sept., 1850, Napoleon Bonaparte Huntoon, son of Peter and Betsey (Turner) Huntoon, of Readfield, Me., b. 23 Sept., 1816.

Child of Napoleon B. and Orilla H. (Danforth) Huntoon:

*Mary O. Huntoon*, b. 19 Sept., 1852; m. 11 Jan., 1874, George, son of Holman and Sarah (Gordon) Johnson, of Wayne, Me., woolen manufacturer. Children:

(1) Sadie O. Johnson, b. 25 Dec., 1875.
(2) Philip Leslie Johnson, b. 27 Dec., 1876.
(3) Merle Huntoon Johnson, b. 22 Feb., 1880.

ix. MARY CROSS, b. 13 Sept., 1830; m. at San Mateo, Cal., David Springer McLellan, b. at Litchfield, Me., 10 June, 1825; she d. 7 Jan., 1900.

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Children of David S. and Mary C. (Danforth) McLellan:

1. *Mary Orilla McLellan*, m. in 1872, Calvin A. Murray; she d. in 1887.
2. *Charles David McLellan*, m. Clara Turner; d. 16 Jan., 1901.
3. *Mary Phoebe McLellan.*
4. *Mary Belle McLellan.*
5. *George Brice McLellan.*
6. *William Sweet McLellan*, m. Mary Bates.
7. *Edgar Wakeman McLellan*, m. Mary Garratt.
8. *Leonard Everett McLellan.*
9. *Mary Grace McLellan.*
10. *Theodore Murray McLellan.*, d. in childhood.
11. *Frank Lloyd McLellan.*
12. *Asa Danforth McLellan.*

84.

BENJAMIN[6] (*Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Norton, 27 Nov., 1782; died at Lansingburgh, N. Y., 11 Feb., 1834; married Tryphena, daughter of Otis and Sarah (Goddard) Bates, of Coos, N. H., born in Troy, N. Y., 20 April, 1796, died at Troy, N. Y., 3 Feb., 1846.

Children:

i. THOMAS,[7] b. 20 Oct., 1817; resided at Nassau, N. Y.; d. in Dec., 1886.
ii. MARY, b. 26 Sept., 1820; d. 30 Nov., 1843.
174. iii. HENRY W., b. 14 Jan., 1823.
iv. HIRAM, b. 20 July, 1826; m. Mrs. Louisa Lawton; no children; he d. 11 May, 1866.
v. SARAH, b. 17 Oct., 1828; m. John Peck; no children.
vi. SUSAN, b. 2 Feb., 1831; d. 28 Aug., 1848.

86.

SAMUEL[6] (*John*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norwich, Conn., 25 June, 1770; died at Ellsworth, O., 5 Aug., 1827; married at Mansfield, 25 Dec., 1797, Lucy Hartshorn, of Mansfield.

Children, all born at Norwich, Conn.:

176. i. JOHN,[7] b. 15 Nov., 1798.
ii. HARRIET, b. 23 Jan., 1800; d. at Norwich, 3 Nov., 1802.
iii. SAMUEL, b. 26 Feb., 1801; d. 9 Aug., 1839; m. in 1837 Electa Parmalee. No children.

87.

JOSEPH[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 6 May, 1763; died 12 Feb., 1833, or

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21 Oct., 1835; married Lydia Cox. He removed to Jaffrey, N. H., then to Chester, Vt., and afterward to Wethersfield, Vt., about 1790.

Children:

178. i. JOSEPH H.,[7] b. at Jaffrey, N. H., 19 Nov., 1787.
179. ii. THOMAS, b. 20 Oct., 1788.
iii. LEVI, d. in New York state.
iv. CLARISSA, m. Danford Richardson.
v. ANN, m. John Snowden.
vi. BETSEY, m. Asa Brown.
vii. HANNAH, m. Samuel Lloyd.
viii. EMELINE, m. Rev. William Lane.
ix. LOUISA, unm.
179*a*. x. JOHN WARREN, b. at Wethersfield, Vt., 6 May, 1811.
xi. WILLIAM H., d. in New York state.

88.

JOHN[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica about 1765, and resided there sometime. "Went to Enfield"?

Children:

i. JOHN.[7]
ii. DAVID.
180. iii. STEARNS, b. about 1798.
181. iv. SILAS, b. 8 Feb., 1800.
v. LYDIA.

89.

THOMAS[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 28 Dec., 1771; died in Rindge, N. H., 24 March, 1841; married in 1794, Abigail, daughter of Josiah and Abigail (Hubbard) Davis, of New Ipswich, N. H., born 4 Dec., 1774, died 17 April, 1833. Removed to Rindge in 1810.

Children:

i. THOMAS,[7] b. and d. 18 Sept., 1797.
ii. THOMAS, b. and d. 3 May, 1798.
iii. THOMAS MARSHALL, b. 11 May, 1799; d. 21 Dec., 1800.
182. iv. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 11 April, 1801.
v. ABIGAIL FOX, b. 3 Sept., 1803; d. 5 Oct., 1809.
183. vi. JOHN, b. 3 March, 1806.
vii. THOMAS DAVIS, b. 1 Sept., 1810; d. at sea, unm., Sept., 1835.
viii. GEORGE, b. 7 Feb., d. 7 March, 1816.

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JONATHAN[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hollis, N. H., 20 July, 1745; died at Danville, Vt., about 1840; married Hannah [Leman?].

Children:

i. HANNAH,[7] b. 5 May, 1770; m. 10 Feb., 1791, Jona. Bowers, of Hollis.
184. ii. JONATHAN, b. 27 July, 1772.
iii. ELIZABETH, b. 10 May, 1774; m. [William] Clark.
184*a*. iv. LEONARD, b. 9 April, 1777.
185. v. DAVID, b. 15 May, 1779.
186. vi. LUTHER, b. 23 Oct., 1781.
vii. ANNA, b. 19 July, 1783.
187. viii. ASA, b. 14 Oct., 1785.
ix. REBECCA, b. 23 March, 1788; m. Samuel Henry.
x. NANCY.
xi. CALVIN.
xii. SOPHIA, unm.

91.

DAVID[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hollis, N. H., 24 Jan., 1747; died 1 March, 1815; married in 1770 Hannah, daughter of Israel and Sarah (Raymond) Proctor, born in Chelmsford, 2 Feb., 1748, died 12 Jan., 1842. He removed to Washington, N. H., and lived near the Eastern shore of Mellen Pond; died there; all his children were born there. He was selectman several years, and held other offices.

He was a private in Capt. Jonathan Brockaway's co., Enoch Hale's regt., "that marched on the Ticonderoga alarms the 6th and 13th of July, 1777"; also in Capt. Canfield's (Marlow) co. of Col. Bellows's regt., in Sept. and Oct., 1777; and in Capt. Samuel Twitchel's co. of Col. Hale's regt., "who marched from N. H. to Rhode Island and joined the Continental army in August, 1778." [N. H. Rev. Rolls.]

Children:

188. i. ELI,[7] b. 27 Oct., 1773; (first birth recorded in town book).
189. ii. ISRAEL, b. 25 June, 1775.
iii. HANNAH, b. 21 March, 1777: d. 15 Nov., 1843; m. Reuben Farnsworth. Child: *Isaac Danforth Farnsworth.* Two daughters died young.
190. iv. DAVID, b. 25 April, 1779.
191. v. JONATHAN, b. 13 Feb., 1783.
192. vi. ISAAC, b. 10 Sept., 1785.

92.

BENJAMIN[6] (*Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 23 May, 1751; resided some time at

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Tewksbury and at Salisbury; died in Bristol, N. H.; married,* 10 July, 1771, by Rev. Henry Cummings, Esther, daughter of James and Elizabeth (Frost) Saunders, of Billerica, born 6 May, 1748. For the record of his Revolutionary service, see the article upon his father, No. 38.

Children:

i. ESTHER,[7] b. at Billerica, 17 Sept., 1772.

ii. SARAH, b. at Tewksbury, 28 March, 1774; d. 22 July, 1867; m. Laban Brown.

Children of Laban and Sarah (Danforth) Brown:

1. *Joseph H. Brown;* res. South Danbury, N. H.
2. *Iddo S. Brown;* served in the war of 1812; res. Danbury.
3. *Joanna Brown*, b. 1800; unm.; res. Danbury, N. H.
4. *Sarah Brown*, b. 1802; m. Jonathan Sleeper; d. 18 Feb., 1879.
5. *Judith Brown.*
6. *Abel Brown;* lost at sea.
7. *Mary Danforth Brown;* m. (1) Horace Buswell; m. (2) George Gamble (parents of Mrs. Nichols); d. 16 Dec., 1863.
8. *Esther Brown;* m. Samuel Keyser; d. 10 Feb., 1868.
9. *Moses Brown*, d. in infancy.
10. *Moses T. Brown;* res. West Andover, N. H.

iii. ABEL, b. 18 Jan., 1777; d. 5 Sept., 1851; m. Rebecca ———, b. in 1778, d. 20 Aug., 1867.

192*a*. iv. AARON, b. 10 Dec., 1779; m. 5 Feb., 1805, Sarah, daughter of Timothy Crosby.

v. BENAJAH (Benaiah) } b. 1803; { d. 27 Jan., 1873.
vi. MICAJAH. }

vii. TIMOTHY.

92*a*.

JONATHAN[6] (*Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 20 July, 1754; died at Hillsboro, N. H., 10 Oct., 1816; married first, 19 Jan., 1786, Sarah, daughter of Thomas Chandler of Tewksbury, born 20 April, 1756; she died 18 Dec., 1794. He married second, Mrs. Elizabeth Twist, of Danvers; she died 24 April, 1824. Tradition describes his adventures as a soldier† in the fight at Lexington in company with his father. He resided for the most of his life at Hillsboro.

* Married at Fitchburg, 14 Nov., 1789, Benj. Danforth. Jr., and Mrs. Margaret Fisk.

† See other Jonathans, Nos. 44, 97a, and 102, and compare records. Possibly some items are incorrectly assigned.

JONATHAN, Chelmsford. List of men raised in Middlesex Co. to serve in the Continental Army [year not given]; residence, Chelmsford; reported "in the works at Springfield."

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Children:

i. SARAH,[7] b. 12 Oct., 1786; d. 3 March, 1847; m. in April, 1809, John Allen.

Children of John and Sarah (Danforth) Allen:

1. *John Allen*, b. 30 May, 1811; d. 21 Jan., 1880; m. (1) Susan Gleason; m. (2) Susan Teel, of Medford.
2. *Jonathan Allen*, b. 27 May, 1813; d. 24 Aug., 1818.
3. *William Allen*, b. 19 April, d. Oct., 1819.
4. *Abigail Allen*, b. 24 July, 1820; res. at Hillsboro.

193. ii. JONATHAN, b. 5 May, 1788.

194. iii. BENJAMIN, b. 30 Aug., 1789.

195. iv. FRANCIS, b. 28 Feb., 1793.

v. ELIZABETH, b. 15 Dec., 1794; d. 28 May, 1871; m. 20 March, 1819, David Woodward, of Lyndeboro, N. H.; he d. 15 March, 1852.

Children of David and Elizabeth (Danforth) Woodward:

1. *George Dexter Woodward*, b. 5 Oct., 1823; m. 30 Oct., 1850, Mary E. Prentice, b. at Lyndeboro, N. H.
2. *Willard F. Woodward*, b. 5 Oct., 1828; d. at Jasper, N. Y., 25 June, 1864; m. 13 Jan., 1852, Sarah C. Everett.
3. *Eliza Jane Woodward*, b. 19 July, 1830; m. 23 April, 1857, David C. Hollenbeck, b. Jasper, N. Y., 2 July, 1822.

## 92*b*.

SAMUEL[6] (*Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 24 Aug., 1756; died 6 April, 1815; married 30 March, 1780 (by Rev. Sampson Spaulding), Anna, daughter of David and Mary Trull, of Tewksbury, born 26 June, 1761; died 22 Nov., 1851.

He was a farmer. Removed to Hillsboro, N. H., and about 1790 to Fletcher, Franklin co., Vt. Was injured by the falling of a tree so that he soon afterward died. The widow abode with their son Cyrus till her death.

Children:

i. SAMUEL,[7] b. at Billerica, 1 Oct., 1780; was a farmer somewhere in New Hampshire. Said to have m. and had one daughter; but search for him at the time of his brother Levi's death, was unavailing.

195*a*. ii. ROBERT, b. 6 May, 1782.

iii. ANNA, b. 25 July, 1784; d. 10 March, 1860; m. her cousin David, son of Peter Danforth (No. 197).

iv. BETSEY, b. 22 July, 1786; d. 27 Dec., 1862; m. 6 Dec., 1810, Willis Leach, of Fairfield, Vt., b. 19 Aug., 1787, d. at Fairfax, Vt., 19 March, 1875.

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Children of Willis and Betsey (Danforth) Leach:

1. *Julianna Leach*, b. 30 March, 1812; d. at Bemis, Wis., 14 May, 1894; m. 18 April, 1841, Philander Bassett, b. at Sutton, Ontario, d. at Fairfax, Vt., 31 May, 1862. Res. Johnson, Vt., in 1891.
2. *Ahira Leach*, b. 10 March, 1814; m. 13 March, 1838, Paulina Holmes, of Johnson, Vt.; he d. 25 Sept., 1893.
3. *Betsey Leach*, b. 15 March, 1816; d. 20 Dec., 1834.
4. *Roxanna Leach*, b. 19 March, 1818; d. 19 Nov., 1831.
5. *Willis D. Leach*, b. 22 June, 1820; d. at Irosburg, Vt., 17 July, 1889; m. (1) 6 June, 1844, Almira Carpenter, of Fletcher; m. (2) 6 Nov., 1883, Marinda Carpenter, of Irosburg, b. 20 April, 1827, d. 18 Jan. 1894.
6. *Cyrus Leach*, b. 2 Feb., 1825; m. 9 May, 1849, Mary Hawley. Res. Fairfax, Vt.

195*b*. v. CYRUS, b. 21 Feb., 1792.

vi. LEVI, b. 20 April, 1794; d. 17 April, 1868; m. first, Cynthia Holmes; she d. 31 Jan., 1863, æ. 68; he m. second, 17 Nov., 1863, Mrs. Lucy (Ripley) Bliss, of Brockport, widow of Elijah W. Bliss, b. at Windham, Conn., 10 May, 1794, d. 14 Dec., 1888. No children.

195*c*. vii. DAVID, b. 6 Sept., 1797.

viii. POLLY, b. at Fletcher, 20 June, 1795; d. 6 June, 1881.

ix. CLARISSA, b. 27 June, 1805; d. 16 April, 1869 [?]; m. 10 Nov., 1843, Volney P. Boyce, of Ogden, Munroe Co., N. Y.

Williamstown, Mass.

## 93.

PETER[6] (*Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 25 May, 1761; died in Liberty, Ohio, 12 Jan., 1843; married Elizabeth Stephens, born 15 Aug., 1771, died in Fredonia, O., 24 Feb., 1835. Served in the Revolutionary war; was a pensioner; received $96 per annum 1818–1820. Resided some time at Fletcher, Vt.

Children:

196. i. DANIEL CHASE, b. at Fletcher, Vt., 19 May, 1787.
197. ii. DAVID, b. at Fletcher, Vt., 28 Dec., 1788.

PETER, Billerica. Private, Capt. Solomon Pollard's co., Col. Samuel Denny's regt.; enlisted Oct. 23, 1779; discharged Dec. 4, 1779; service, 1 mo. 12 days, travel included; company detached to march to Claverack and join Continental Army for 3 months; roll dated Billerica; *also*, descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for the term of 6 months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justin Ely, Commissioner, by Maj. Peter Harwood of 6th Mass. regt., at Springfield, July 3, 1780; age, 19 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, dark; engaged for town of Billerica; marched to camp July 3, 1780, under command of Lieut. Daniel Frye of the artificers: *also*, list of men raised for the 6 months service and returned by Brig. Gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp

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Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780; *also*, pay roll for 6 months men raised by the town of Billerica for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 29, 1780; discharged Jan. 3, 1781; service, 6 mos. 16 days; *also*, receipt dated Billerica, June 18, 1781, for bounties paid said Danforth and others, on behalf of several classes of the town of Billerica, to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 3 years; *also*, descriptive list of men raised in Middlesex Co., agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780, as returned by Joseph Hosmer, Superintendent for said county; age, 20 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, dark; hair, dark; eyes, dark; occupation, farmer; engaged for town of Billerica; engaged April 17, 1781; term, 3 years; *also*, Private, Capt. Matthew Chambers's co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's (6th) regt.; wages allowed from April 17, 1781, 14 mos. 14 days; reported transferred to light infantry July –, 1782; *also*, Capt. Peter Clayes's (Light Infantry) co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's regt.; wages allowed for July–Dec., 1782, 6 months; *also*, order dated Billerica, March 30, 1784, payable to Jonathan Pollard, signed by said Danforth, for wages for service in the years 1781 and 1782 in the 6th Mass. regt.

## 94.

JOSIAH[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Dunstable (Tyngsboro) 8 Jan., 1757; died there 8 May, 1838; married 10 Nov., 1777, Sarah Blodgett, born in 1755, died in 1842.

He was a prominent man in the affairs of the town; an esquire (justice of the peace) many years; resided on the old homestead.

Children:

i. SARAH,[7] } b. 22 Feb., d. { 3 March, 1778.
ii. JOSIAH, } { 27 May, 1778.
198. iii. JOSEPH, b. 16 Aug., 1779.
iv. SARAH, b. 15 May, 1782; d. 22 Sept., 1834; m. Simon Thompson.
v. HANNAH, b. 22 Oct., 1784; d. 14 Feb., 1785.
199. vi. JOSIAH, b. 15 Jan., 1786.
vii. CATHERINE, b. 22 Nov., 1787; d. 6 Jan., 1788.
viii. JOHN, b. 11 May, 1789; d. 18 Nov., 1811.
200. ix. ASA, b. 18 Aug., 1795.
x. JAMES, b. 1 Aug., 1797; d. 18 Sept., 1812.

## 94-1.

SAMUEL[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 28 Sept., 1752; died 23 Sept., 1816; married 28 April, 1774, Sarah, daughter of Roger Toothaker, M. D., of Billerica, born 5 June, 1759, died 13 June, 1797. He resided at Tewksbury,* on lands which his father deeded 6 Sept., 1793, to "Sarah and Mary, the only children of his son Samuel."

* SAMUEL, JR. Private, Capt. Solomon Pollard's co. of minute-men, Col. Green's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 2 days.

SAMUEL (DANFORD), Tewkesbury, Private, Capt. Haffield White's co., Col. Rufus

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Children:

i. SARAH,[7] b. 18 June, 1775.

ii. MARY ("POLLY") b. 1 March, 1780; m. in 1799 (his first wife) John, son of Obediah and Mary Hannah (Ballard) Foster, b. in Andover, 3 March, 1770, d. at Warner, N. H., 13 April, 1846.

Children of John and Mary (Danforth) Foster:

1. *Herman Foster*, b. in Andover, 31 Oct., 1800; became a lawyer; settled at Manchester, N. H.,; was many terms a member of the legislature; president of the senate in 1861; recd. degree of A.M. from Dart. Coll. in 1861; m. 8 Nov., 1826, Harriet Mary Ann Whittemore, of Cambridge. No children.

2. *Sabra Foster*, b. in Andover, 31 May, 1802; d. at Lawrence, 25 Nov., 1858; m. at Hudson, N. H., 25 Dec., 1822, Isaac Tewksbury, M. D., tenth child of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Merrill) Tewksbury, b. at West Newbury, 13 Jan., 1795, d. at Hampstead, N. H., 25 Jan., 1885. He taught school several years; grad. Dart. Med. Coll., and practised medicine at Hampstead from 1817 till 1847. Rem. to Lawrence, Mass., and had a large practice till old age compelled him to retire.

Children of Dr. Isaac and Sabra (Foster) Tewksbury:

(1) Herman Foster, b. 15 May, 1824; m. Emma Stevens, of Illinois; d. in Federal service in Mississippi in 1862. Children: Herman and Sabra Foster.

(2) Isaac Adolphus Foster, b. 15 Dec., 1825; m. in 1847, Elvira Pratt, d. at Elgin, Ill., 13 Aug., 1885. Children: Arthur and Adah Foster.

(3) Sabra Frances Foster, b. 15 Nov., 1827: m. 24 July, 1850, at Lawrence, Charles A. Colby; d. at New York, 28 July, 1891. Children: Elizabeth W. Colby, d. March 1861; Charles Edwards Colby, d. 18 Oct., 1889, prof. Org. Chem. Columbia Coll., N. Y.

(4) Jerome Danforth Foster, b. 5 Oct., 1829; d. 19 April, 1831.

(5) Harriet Mary Foster, b. 18 May, 1831; d. 18 Aug., 1847.

Putnam's regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Feb. 15, 1777, to June 8, 1779; reported discharged June 8, 1779; *also* muster return dated Albany, Feb. 9, 1778; residence Tewksbury; enlisted for town of Tewksbury; mustered by Col. Barrett; *also* Capt. White's co., Col. Putnam's (4th) regt.; return of men entitled to State gratuity raised by lottery.

See also Rev. Rolls in Appendix.

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(6) Albion Danforth Foster, b. 19 May, d. in Sept., 1833.

(7) Elizabeth Merrill Foster, b. 16 July, 1834; m. (1) Dec., 1851, P. H. Colby, of Lawrence; Children: Alice Colby, John F. Colby. She m. (2) in Chicago, Dec., 1867, L. Ostrom; child: Laura Annette Ostrom, m. in Paris, France, Fernand A. Azeredo. She m. (3) at Chicago, May, 1875, Francis W. Coaker. Residence (1902) Brookline.

(8) Ellen Danforth Foster, b. at Hampstead, N. H., 16 May, 1836; m. at Manchester, N. H., 13 Nov., 1855, Joseph Huntington White, b. at Goshen, Mass., 28 Jan., 1824, son of Joseph and Sophia (Huntington) White. He was educated at Easthampton Academy; became an importer of dry goods and commission merchant in Boston; retired; is president of Eliot National Bank; resides in Brookline. Children: (i.) Joseph Foster White; (ii.) Harriet Foster White, m. Arthur E. Smith, of Omaha, Neb.; (iii.) Helen Huntington White, m. George J. Putnam; (iv.) Grace Sabra White, m. John L. Batchelder, Jr.

(9) Sarah Abigail Foster, b. 31 March, 1838; d. 2 Aug., 1853.

(10) Mary Danforth Foster, b. 19 March, 1843; m. at New York, 17 Jan., 1877, James Jackson, of Paris, France, where she—a widow—has since resided.

(11) Clara Whittemore Foster, b. 21 Jan., 1845; m. Samuel Hitchcock, of Aurora, Ill. Children: Alice M. and William Foster Hitchcock.

## 94-2.

JOSIAH[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 4 July, 1765; (name written "Isaac" in record of baptism; seems to be the Revolutionary soldier described below.*

* JOSIAH (DANFORTH), Billerica (probably). Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co. Col. Bridges' regt. of Minute Men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service 6 days.

JOSIAH, Billerica. Capt. Solomon Pollard's (Billerica) co.; list of men in camp at Cambridge, dated May 1, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 25, 1775; service, 3 mos. 14 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, list of men who received money from public treasury for losses at battles

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He removed to Boston. Was a rope-maker; in partnership with Caleb Whiting, "mariner," he bought land in B., 25 Dec., 1792. They are called "wood-wharfingers" in a later deed. He married first, in B., 25 Oct., 1791 (by Rev. Jere. Belknap) Ruth Pike. She joined him in a deed of land 13 Aug., 1792. She died at the age of 31 years, 13 Sept. [1799?.] He married second (int. 25 Nov., 1801), Rhoda Woods. He died "of consumption, aged 45 years," 9 Nov., 1810. The widow received her "thirds" in 1812; was appointed guardian for her three children. Distribution was made 28 Feb., 1814; "a farm of 175 acres, partly in Chelmsford and partly in B llerica," was a part of the estate; also a tract in Cambridgeport.

Children:

i. THOMAS,[7] b. about 1794; resided in Boylston in 1814; returned to Boston; became a "truckman"; d. before 22 Sept., 1817, when his (insolvent) estate was appraised; was evidently unmarried.

ii. ABIGAIL.

iii. JOSIAH.

94*a*.

JOSEPH[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 3 June, 1767; died 21 Oct., 1805; married 26 Aug., 1789, Dorcas Wyman, born in 1768, died 24 Feb., 1841.

The gravestone of Joseph Danforth is in Billerica grave yard, with these lines thereon:

"Death thou hast conquered me
But Christ hath conquered the
I by thy dart am slain
And I shall rise again."

On that of his wife is graven:

"Mrs. Dorcas relict of the late Joseph Danforth,
died Feb. 24, 1841, aged 73 years."

His large estate was duly divided to his widow (thirds) in 1809, and to his eight children in 1810.

Children:

i. DORCAS,[7] b. 26 Feb., 1790; d. 7 Feb., 1847; m. first, 18 Feb., 1808, Joseph Hill, b. 2 Jan., 1787, d. 5 July, 1810; m. second, Henry Bridge, son of Samuel and Alice Pollard Bridge, b. 7 July, 1790.

of Lexington and Bunker Hill; amounts allowed in Council June 13, 1776; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Edward Farmer's co., Col. Jonathan Reed's regt.; enlisted Sept. 29, 1777; discharged Nov. 8, 1777; service, 41 days; company marched to reinforce Northern army.

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Child of Joseph and Dorcas (Danforth) Hill:

*Joseph Foster Hill*, b. 22 Dec., 1808; d. 10 Nov., 1849; m. Caroline Leonard, of Hallowell, Me.; grad. Harvard Med. School; practiced medicine in Billerica.

ii. SARAH, "SALLY," b. 8 Nov., 1791; d. March, 1865; m. Wm. Richardson, who d. (by his own hand) soon after their marriage; she carried on the farm, which had been nearly a century in the family, until her death.

iii. NANCY, b. 15 June, 1795; d. 28 Dec., 1820; m. 6 Feb., 1820, Zaccheus Shed.

iv. HANNAH TAYLOR, b. 9 Oct., 1797; d. 8 Oct., 1843, buried at Mt Auburn; m. Simon Wiggin Robinson, of Boston, b. at New Hampton, N. H., 19 Feb., 1792, d. at Lexington, 16 Oct., 1868. Res. Littleton, Mass.

Children of Simon W. and Hannah T. (Danforth) Robinson:

1. *Sarah Elizabeth Robinson*, b. 6 Aug., 1817; d. 21 Jan., 1877; m. James Simon Wiggin.
2. *John Brooks Robinson*, b. 30 May, 1819; d. 24 Feb., 1893; m. Sarah R. Osgood; was a merchant in Boston, resided in Littleton.
3. *Henry Bridge Robinson*, b. 3 Oct., 1821; d. 27 March, 1825.
4. *Hannah Amanda Robinson*, b. 22 Dec., 1823; d. 7 Feb., 1856; m. (1) 27 Oct., 1841, Charles Herbert Neally, b. at Meredith, N. H., 13 April, 1815; d. in Boston, 24 Dec., 1844; m. (2) 24 Nov., 1847, Dr. Willard W. Codman, of Boston; son Edward Brooks Codman, b. 10 Feb., 1851; m. Winnifred McCarty, of Bristol, R. I.; has been in military service under the British government in India. Amanda Robinson Neally, dau. of the first marriage, b. 24 Aug., 1843, m. 1 Oct., 1863, Charles Augustus, son of Ebenezer and Sarah (Swan) Clapp, b. in Dorchester, 9 Nov., 1835; partner of E. P. Dutton & Co., booksellers, of New York City. [See Clapp Memorial].

v. JOSEPH, b. 14 June, 1799; d. in Boston,—"accidental, æ. 23,"—10 Aug., 1823.

vi. JOSIAH, b. 17 June, 1801; d. 3 Oct., 1822.

vii. OLIVER, b. 14 March, 1803; d. 25 Oct., 1849; had curvature of the spine.

viii. JULIA, b. 16 July, 1805; d. 10 Feb., 1859; m. John Barrows, in 1826.

Children of John and Julia (Danforth) Barrows:

1. *William H. Barrows*, b. 28 Feb., 1827; m. 18 Nov., 1869, Eliza Matilda Davis.
2. *Sarah Elizabeth Barrows*, b. 3 Dec., 1832; m. 12 Nov., 1867, Gilman Elisha Gurney, farmer of Burnham, Me.

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THOMAS[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Dunstable, 20 Feb., 1745; died 23 April, 1794; married at Brookfield, 26 May, 1771, Lydia Abbot, born 25 Nov., 1747, died 27 April, 1835. She was married in a calico dress which cost $1.00 a yard.

He resided at Tyringham, Mass. Served in Revolutionary war as corporal in Langton's Co. of Col. Mark Hopkins's Regt.; was at Highlands, N. Y., in July, 1776.

Children:

i. SALLY,[7] b. 14 Feb., 1770; d. 11 Oct., 1851; m. 1 Feb., 1800, Salathiel Hale; had children: 1. Betsey Hale; 2. Thomas Hale (m. Betsey Granger); 3. William Hale.

ii. LYDIA, b. 16 May, 1773; d. 16 Aug., 1794.

iii. JERUSHA, b. 15 Sept., 1774; d. 6 Sept., 1817; m. 20 May, 1798, Joshua Brewer, farmer, of Granby, N. Y.

Children of Joshua and Jerusha (Danforth) Brewer:

1. *Dosia Brewer*, b. 3 April, 1799; d. 9 Dec., 1883; m. 23 Sept., 1828, Joel Baker.
2. *Amanda Brewer*, b. 13 Jan., 1801; d. 1803.
3. *Chauncy Brewer*, b. 13 Feb., 1803; d. 1803.
4. *Almon Brewer*, b. 12 Oct., 1804; d. 1872.
5. *Amanda Brewer*, b. 14 July, 1806; d. 11 Dec., 1883; m. in 1824, Alvinza Wright, of Fulton, N. Y. Children: (1) Lucilia Wright, m. Levi Hamilton; (2) Martin Wright.
6. *Milton Brewer*, b. 22 Jan., 1808; d. 1834.
7. *Chauncy Brewer*, b. and d. 1809.
8. *Ada Brewer*, b. 30 July, 1812; m. in 1841, Ellery E. Bristol, of Granby, N. Y.

Children of Ellery E. and Ada (Brewer) Bristol:

(1) Lansing Bristol, served in the War of the Rebellion; d. 27 June, 1865.
(2) Mary Danforth Bristol.
(3) Erwin Bristol.
(4) Almon Bristol; m. Fanny Hancock.
(5) Persis Bristol, b. 5 Aug., 1847; m. Wesley McCully.
(6) Martha McCully Bristol, b. 1850; m. Jefferson Bailey.
(7) John Bristol, b. 1852; m. Margaret Osborn.

9. *Newton Brewer*, b. 23 March, 1814; m. Eleanor Farlow; res. Barrington.

201. iv. CYRUS, b. 27 Aug., 1777.

v. DANIEL, b. 8 March, 1778; d. 26 Oct., 1846; m. 14 Feb., 1803, Sally Orton; she d. 29 Oct., 1860, æ. 80. No children.

202. vi. THOMAS, b. 30 Oct., 1780.

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vii. BETSEY, b. 26 Aug., 1782; d. 4 April, 1840; m. 19 Aug., 1801, Joseph Baker, b. in Chesterfield, Mass.; rem. in 1804 to Lafayette, N. Y., being a pioneer in the county.

Children of Joseph and Betsey (Danforth) Baker:

1. *Joel Baker*, b. 14 April, 1803; d. 10 Jan., 1862; m. 23 Sept., 1828, Dosia Brewer.
2. *Lydia Baker*, b. 27 Jan., 1805; d. 11 Aug., 1853; m. in 1845, Richard Pomeroy.
3. *Sophia Baker*, b. 3 Aug., 1806; d. 16 June, 1807.
4. *Harvey Baker*, b. 20 April, 1808; m. (1) 24 Nov., 1829, Sally Diantha Cowles; m. (2) 8 Dec., 1840, Mrs. Alice, widow of Sherrill Hubbard.
5. *Merrick Baker*, b. 9 Sept., 1809; d. 18 Aug., 1862; m. (1) Hannah, dau. of Erastus and Mary (Pratt) Baker; m. (2) Eliza Stanton.
6. *Dennis Baker*, b. 21 Dec., 1810; m. 23 Dec., 1833, Miriam, dau. of Oliver Munn. He [Dennis] was connected with the mission to the Cattaraugus Indians 4 years, in Erie Co., N. Y.; rem. to Aurora, and later to Warrenville, Ill. He assisted many runaway slaves over "the under-ground railroad" to liberty in the Northern States or Canada.
7. *Sophia Baker*, b. 1 March, 1813; d. (scalded to death) 3 April, 1816.
8. *Joseph Danforth Baker*, b. 5 Jan., 1815; grad. Amherst Coll., 1839, Auburn Theo. Sem. 1841; ord. Pastor Cong. chh., Hartford, N. Y., in June, 1841; of Presb. chh. Scipio, N. Y., Oct., 1844; at Bloomington, Ill., 1830; at Cambridge, Ill., 1852. He m. Lucy Dewey of Cambridge, N. Y.
9. *Jason Cook Baker*, b. 21 March, 1817; d. 2 Aug., 1882; m. 21 May, 1846, Jane, dau. of Arthur Smith, of Scipio.
10. *Henry Baker*, b. 1 Feb., 1819; d. 1 July, 1862; m. 16 Aug., 1842, Angeline Pomeroy. Enlisted 27 Aug., 1861; served in 1st Kansas Cavalry. Family reside at Aurora, Ill.
11. *Betsey Emeline Baker*, b. 28 June, 1822; d. 27 Jan., 1853.

viii. AZUBAH, b. 12 June, 1786; d. 7 Feb., 1856; m. first, 26 Sept., 1804, —— Meriam; m. second, 13 June, 1816, —— Randall.

204. ix. JOEL, b. 4 April, 1779.

x. ASA, b. 13 Jan., 1791; d. in April, 1869.

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ASA[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Dunstable, Mass., 25 July, 1746; died at Onondaga Hollow, N. Y., in 1837; married about 1767, Hannah Wheeler, born in Lenox about 1749, died in Sept., 1837. At the opening of the

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war of the Revolution he entered the service,* "being engaged at the battle of Bunker Hill, in which his father, brother and kinsmen to the number of thirteen were also serving"; "was captain of a company at the battle of Saratoga and at the surrender of Burgoyne," and "Major in the 4th Mass. regiment." He received a pension of $240 per annum 1818–1830.

He resided several years at Brookfield, Mass., and there several of his children were born. He removed to Mayfield, N. Y., and cultivated a farm. Hearing from a stranger by the name of Webster who spent the night at his house that there were much richer lands to be found in the Onondaga valley, he resolved to go there. Having assured himself that the Indians in that section would be friendly, he embarked his family and goods in flat-boats, and made the journey in May, 1788, by the Mohawk river and lakes Oneida and Onondaga valley, making his home where Onondaga Hollow settlement afterwards grew up. He was thus really the first settler of the region. With great energy he faced the problems of the new country. In 1791 he built a sawmill on Butternut Creek (now DeWitt township); he brought the saw on his shoulders from Fort Schuyler (now Rome), and other parts and materials were brought by Indians and other men from Utica. The first boards used in the county were sawed there. He was a benevolent, hospitable man, sagacious as an adviser, highly regarded by the community. He was Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, the first session of which was held in his barn; for one term he was a senator in the state Assembly; he was superintendent of the salt springs, etc. He took great interest in the organization of the State Militia, and was made Major General of the same in course of time.

Mrs. Danforth is remembered as a woman of great benevolence and kindliness; like her husband she was of attractive appearance and both had many admiring friends.

Children:

206. i. ASA,[7] b. at Brookfield, 29 June, 1768.

* ASA, Brookfield. Sergeant, Capt. Ithamar Wright's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 8 days; reported enlisted into the army April 27, 1775; *also*, Lieutenant, Capt. Peter Harwood's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; list of officers; resolved in Provincial Congress May 23, 1775, that commissions be delivered said officers; *also*, Lieutenant, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; engaged April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 1 week 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, Captain, 4th co., Col. James Converse's (4th Worcester Co.) regt.; list of officers of Mass. militia dated Brookline, July 23, 1777; ordered in Council July 29, 1777, that commissions be issued; reported commissioned July 29, 1878; *also*, Captain of a co. of volunteers, Col. Convers's regt.; service, 31 days; company marched from Brookfield Sept. 23, 1777, to reinforce army under Gen. Gates.

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ii. EUNICE, b. 12 Oct., 1772; m. Reuben Patterson, b. "near Boston, Mass., 1768"; d. at Sandusky, O., 18 June, 1840. In 1816 the family travelled in wagons from Onondaga Co., toward "the West"; sojourned for various short periods at Huron, O., and Fort Stephenson; passed along in 1819 to the spot whereon the town of Fremont was destined to rise, in whose upbuilding they bore an important part.

Children of Reuben and Eunice (Danforth) Patterson:

1. *Sear "Czar" Patterson*, b. 1795.
2. *Alvord Patterson*, b. 1797; m. in 1820, Julia Webb. Children: Eveline Patterson, b. 1822, m. 1840, John Shannon. Res. Fremont; d. 9 Oct. 1893.
3. *Eveline Patterson*, b. 15 Feb., 1800; d. 25 Dec., 1883; m. 23 Feb., 1823, Lysander Curtis Ball, b. at Rockingham, Vt., 26 March, 1795; blacksmith; went on foot from Boston to Lower Sandusky, O.; he d. 2 March, 1877.

   Children of Lysander C. and Eveline (Patterson) Ball:

   (1) Sarah Danforth Ball, b. 23 June, 1836: m. 26 Oct., 1859, Stephen Morse Emerson, b. at Sandusky, O., 15 Jan., 1833.
   (2) Lysander Curtis Bell, b. 3 Dec., 1839; m. 13 Nov., 1865, Hannah Elvira Morrison; res. Jamestown, N. Dak.
   (3) Eveline Ball, resides at Fremont, O.
   (4) Elvira Ball.
   (5) Thaddeus Ball.
   (6) Oscar Ball.

4. *Danforth Patterson*, b. 12 March, 1803; m. 21 Nov., 1836, Sarah Perry.
5. *Adams Patterson*, b. 1805; d. 1808.
6. *Julius Patterson*, b. 9 May, 1808; d. 23 May, 1887; m. Margaret Leary, b. 2 Nov., 1820, d. 14 March, 1894.
7. *Harriet Patterson*, b. 17 May, 1810; m. James Moore, b. at Huntington, Pa., 26 Feb., 1806; she d. Oct., 1899. Resided at Ballville, O.

   Children of James and Harriet (Patterson) Moore:

   (1) Orven Moore, b. 1 Jan., 1832; drowned 4 May, 1838.
   (2) Juliet Moore, b. 23 Nov., 1833; m. 12 Oct., 1858, William Anderson Rice, son of Dr.

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Robert S. Rice, b. in Lower Sandusky, O., 31 July, 1829; d. 24 April, 1893.

(3) Leroy Moore, b. 28 Dec., 1836; d. 29 June, 1888; m. 9 Nov., 1869, Mary Jane, dau. of Elisha and Sally (Brush) Dawley, b. 14 Dec., 1849.

(4) Celeste Moore, b. 16 Jan., 1838; d. 11 July, 1854.

(5) Charles T. Moore, b. 24 March, 1846; m. 26 Oct., 1822, Mary Jane, dau. of Lewis and Jane Margaret (Fleming) Huber; res. Fremont, O.

(6) Celia Moore, b. 7 Nov., 1848; m. 8 July, 1873, John C. Fisher, b. 1 May, 1848.

(7) Oriette Moore, b. 12 Aug., 1850; m. John G. Speller, b. in Prussia, 23 April, 1843.

8. *Caroline Patterson*, b. 1 April, 1813; d. 9 Feb., 1825.

iii. JONATHAN, d. young.

iv. REBECCA, b. 3 Jan., 1777; m. Nathaniel Earl.

Mr. Earl was a son of Daniel Earl (Earll, Earle), [See Ralph Earle and His Descendants; Worcester, press of Charles Hamilton, 1888], and was b. 10 Sept. 1771; d. about 1839. He was a farmer; spent his early life in Onondaga county, N. Y.; removed to Zanesville, O.; to Fairfield co. and later to Sandusky, O.; then to "The Wea," Tippecanoe co., Ind., and, finally to Tymochtee in Crawford co. (now Wyandot) O., where he died. Mrs. Earl d. 2 Nov. 1842.

Children:

1. *Cyrus Earl*, b. 27 July, 1795; d. 1852; m. 1814, Ruth, dau. of Thomas and Rebecca (Harper) Montgomery, b. 14 Oct. 1795, d. 1 April, 1862. He was a brick and stone mason.

Children:

(1) Lovisa Earl, b. 23 April, 1815; m. (1) Elliot Baker, (2) Henry Crile.

(2) Marinda Mahala Earl, b. 3 March, 1818; m. Robert Scott.

(3) Evelina Earl, b. Dec., 1819; m. Corydon Bennett.

(4) John Earl, b. 19 Sept., 1821; d. 10 Oct., 1823.

(5) Rachel Earl, b. 23 April, 1823; d. 27 March, 1840.

(6) Marietta Earl, b. 24 July, 1826; d. 1 Jan., 1857.

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(7) Cyrus Nehemiah Earl, b. 5 March, 1828; m. Delilah Dunn.

(8) Abijah Earl, b. 4 Sept., 1830; d. about 1848.

(9) Sallie Almira Earl, b. 5 Sept., 1830; m. Martin Pearse.

(10) Mortimer Earl, b. 25 June, 1833; d. about 1841.

(11) Rebecca Earl, b. 3 March, 1837; d. 10 Aug., 1838.

(12) Montgomery Harper Earl, b. 2 April, 1839; m. Elizabeth Cole.

2. *Orilla Earl*, b. 17 June, 1797; d. Aug., 1827; m. Chauncy Fuller, b. 20 Sept., 1790, d. 2 June, 1841.

Children:

(1) Anson Fuller, b. 1817.

(2) Maria Fuller, b. 1819; m. Peter Keenan.

(3) Orin Fuller, b. 1820.

(4) Isaac Fuller, b. 1822; m. Sarah Little.

3. *Jonas Earl*, b. 18 May, 1799; d. in 1815.

4. *Rebecca Earl*, b. 20 March, 1801; d. 8 May, 1843: m. (1) 26 Dec., 1816, Joel, son of Levi and Zeuba (Burroughs) Hamlin, b. in Maine, 15 Oct., 1793, d. at Wyandotte, O., 28 June, 1822; she m. (2) Isaac Walker, a Wyandot Indian chief, b. in Canada; she m. (3) 11 Nov., 1829, Joseph, son of Darius and Molly Chaffee, b. at Stafford, Conn., 6 Sept., 1789, d. in Utah in 1849, on his way to California.

Children:

(1) Amanda Hamlin, b. 4 Jan., 1818; m. (1) George Van Doren, (2) Richard A. Coe.

(2) Jane Hamlin, b. 8 Oct., 1820; m. George T. Freece.

(3) William C. Walker, d. in infancy.

(4) Isaiah Walker, b. 29 July, 1826; m. Mary Williams.

(5) Henry Clay Chaffee; d. in infancy.

(6) Junius Chaffee, b. 25 Nov. 1832.

(7) Lucius Elliott Chaffee, b. 9 Sept., 1835; d. 8 Oct., 1887.

(8) A daughter, d. in infancy.

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5. *Lovisa Earl*, b. 27 Dec., 1802; d. 17 April, 1837; m. in 1817, Reuben, son of Ezra and Mahala Burris [Burroughs] Hamlin, b. in Bangor, Me., 22 Dec., 1798, d. at Upper Sandusky, O., 7 Oct., 1855.

Children:

(1) Washington Smith Hamlin, b. 29 July, 1808; m. Mary Marshall.
(2) Nehemiah E. Hamlin, b. 1820; m. wid. Adelia (Miller) Elden.
(3) Commodore Decatur Hamlin, b. 22 Dec., 1822; m. Mary Wallace.
(4) Eliza Hamlin, b. 22 Feb., 1823; m. Curtis Berry.
(5) Reuben W. Hamlin, b. 1826; d. about 1847.
(6) William Hamlin, b. 1828; m. (1)—Smith; m. (2) Frances Rust.
(7) Oribut Hamlin, b. 1830; d. in infancy.
(8) Carlin Hamlin, b. 2 Sept., 1831; m. Sarah Loring Temple.
(9) Gilbert Hamlin, b. 1832; d. in infancy.
(10) Levi Hannibal Hamlin, b. 1833; m. Martha Lake.
(11) Joshua Murat Hamlin, b. 29 July, 1835; m. Elizabeth Smith.
(12) Francis Hamlin, d. in infancy.
(13) A son; died when one week old; was buried with the mother.

6. *Asa Earl*, b. 28 Aug., 1804; d. at Tippecanoe, O., 31 Oct., 1890; m. (1) 25 Dec., 1829, Isabella J. Shannon, b. in Kentucky, 1 Dec., 1805, d. in 1840; he m. (2) in 1840, Mary, dau. of Dennis Downing; he m. (3) Lydia Rupe, b. in Pennsylvania, who d. 18 months after marriage; he m. (4) 13 June, 1850, Elizabeth, dau. of John and Nancy (McKnight) Youell, b. in Virginia, 18 June, 1810, d. in March, 1893. Mr. Earl, as one of the pioneer farmers of Tippecanoe co., was greatly respected; lived 29 years on the same farm; dealt largely in grain; was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Children of Asa and Isabelle (Shannon) Earl:

(1) Salima Earl, b. 13 Nov., 1830: m. 20 Jan.,

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1850, Jacob Markel, b. in Fairfield co., O., 26 April, 1830; res. Wichita, Kan.

(2) Augustus Earl, b. 17 Nov., 1832; d. 27 Feb., 1881, unm.

(3) Harriet Earl, } b. 19 Aug., 1834.
(4) Rebecca Earl, }

(5) Erastus Earl, b. 9 Jan., 1837.

(6) Isabel Earl, b. 20 Jan., 1839.

7. *Samantha Earl*, b. 29 Aug., 1806; d. in 1833; m. James Duddleson.

8. *Minerva Earl*, b. 15 May, 1808; d. at Tymochtee, O., 3 May, 1843; m. 28 May, 1829, Samuel Kenan, b. in Ohio Co., W. Virginia, 6 July, 1806, d. at Upper Sandusky, O., 3 Oct., 1891.

Children:

(1) Alvin Kenan, b. 26 April, 1832.

(2) Amanda Kenan, b. 8 July, 1835. m. Wm. Young.

(3) Joel Kenan, b. and d. 1836.

(4) George Kenan, b. 18 Oct. 1837.

(5) Samuel Kenan, b. 1839; d. 1842.

(6) James Kenan, b. 18 Dec. 1841; res. Toledo, O.

9. *Amanda Earl*. b. 30 July, 1810; d. in 1850; m. Truman Bates, b. about 1810; d. about 1850.

10. *Daniel Earl*, b. 3 June, 1812; m. (1) 7 Dec. 1834, Elizabeth Tool; m. (2) 1 Oct. 1857, Hannah, dau. of Lyle and Elizabeth (Roberts) Fulton.

Children:

(1) Rebecca Earl, b. 27 Feb. 1840; m. Josiah Ivers.

(2) Jonas B. Earl, m. Sarah, dau. of Jonathan James, M.D.

(3) Emma F. Earl, b. 16 April, 1851; m. Anthony B. Anderson.

(4) C. Elizabeth Earl, b. 13 March, 1859; m. J. A. Wilson.

(5) Melvin S. Earl, b. 7 March, 1863; m. Esther E. Walker.

(6) Ella Earl, b. 13 March, 1865; m. J. Frank Robey.

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11. *Nehemiah Earl*, b. 25 July, 1814; d. 5 July, 1890; m. 17 March, 1839, Elizabeth, dau. of William and and Susan Dimmitt, b. 16 Feb. 1816, d. 7 July, 1890.

Children:

(1) Susan Dimmitt, b. 27 Feb. 1840; m. Abram Fouch.

(2) William D. Dimmitt, b. 10 Oct. 1841; m. Mary E. Darrah.

(3) Rebecca Dimmitt, b. 16 Oct. 1842; m. Milton Dickens.

(4) Alice M. Dimmitt, b. 26 Dec. 1845; m. Andrew J. Chapman.

(5) Taylor Dimmitt, b. 22 Feb. 1848; m. Caroline Bedell.

(6) Loduska Dimmitt, b. 21 Feb. 1853; m. Alexander Wright.

(7) Amanda Dimmitt, b. 15 Oct. 1855; m. Stephen Zollers.

12. *Emeline Earl*, b. 4 Feb. 1817; m. 24 Nov. 1839, Jacob Sherry; d. 8 Nov. 1862.

Children:

(1) Eliza A. Sherry, b. 1840; m. Joseph Sherry Hixson.

(2) Josiah E. Sherry, b. 1843: m. L. R. Burton.

(3) Caroline Sherry, b. 1845; m. Richard P. Morton.

13. *Caroline Earl*, twin of the above, d. 4 June 1878; m. (1) 21 March, 1837, John N. Raub, b. 25 Feb. 1805, in Pickaway co., O., d. 16 Jan. 1849, in Tippecanoe co., Ind. She m. (2) in 1857 John Carpenter, b. 15 Nov. 1808, d. at Earl Park, Ind. 10 March, 1875.

Children:

(1) Josephine Raub, b. 8 Jan. 1838; d. 23 June, 1851 or 1852.

(2) Adams Danforth Raub, b. 7 March, 1840; m. Mrs. Nannie Hardesty Dubois Jones. He spoke acceptably at the Chicago Danforth meeting in 1893. Res. Earl Park, Ind.

(3) Elsina Raub, b. and d. 1842.

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(4) De Witt Carpenter, b. 25 Nov. 1859; m. Mary Finnegan. Res. Lafayette, Ind.

14. *Adams Earl*, b. 20 April, 1819; d. 15 Jan., 1898; m. Martha J. Hawkins. He was one of the most enterprising citizens of Lafayette, Ind., taking part in the railroad and land development schemes which have built up the city.

From farming, to which he was bred, he passed in the early "forties" to building flat-boats and taking his produce on them down the Wabash and the great river to New Orleans. In 1847 he engaged in general mercantile business at Lafayette, with James G. Carnahan; was a wholesale grocer 32 years more; built up the "National State Bank of Lafayette." Engaged in commission and packing business in 1862, in Chicago. Took a leading part in developing the Cincinnati, Lafayette and Chicago Railroad (Kankakee line); was president of the Crystal Ice Co.; carried on farming and stock raising on a large scale. He gave $40,000 towards the erection of the court house at Lafayette. He was the principal force in the building of the Belt Line R.R., which vastly enlarged and improved the city, and secured the location at L. of extensive railway work-shops. His beautiful residence, Fountain Park, stood in a forest of ten acres, four of which were a deer park. He was in early life a member of the "Christian" church; later an attendant and helper of the Presbyterian church, highly esteemed. In height, Mr. Earl was six feet and one inch; his weight was about 170 pounds. He was industrious, energetic, public spirited. He took great interest in the Danforth family, and was prominent at the meeting in Chicago in 1893. He married first, 1 Dec., 1842, Matilda Orr. He married second, 5 Dec. 1848, Martha Jane, daughter of James and Susannah (Jones) Hawkins, b. near Hamilton, O., 12 July, 1822; she survives him.

Children of Adams and Martha J. (Hawkins) Earl:

(1) Alice Jane Earl, b. 20 Oct. 1850; m. 20 Dec. 1876, Charles Benedict Stuart, who was b. at Logansport, N. Y., 4 June, 1853; grad. Amherst Col. 1873; Columbia Law School; succeeded in 1876 to the law practice of his father, Hon. W. Z. Stuart; was counsel for the Wabash R. R., and other corporations. After his marriage he resided at Layfayette, Ind., and was

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associated with Mr. Earl in the improvement of dairy stock, etc., on Shadeland farm, etc.; director in various corporations. He died 20 Feb., 1899.

(2) Morel Josiah Earl, b. 7 June, 1853; m. 9 Oct., 1878, Elizabeth, dau. of Hon. A. B. Claypool, of Connorsville. He d. 28 June, 1879.

15. *Josiah Earl*, b. near Tymochtee, O. 12 March, 1821; removed to California and resided in Red Bluff and other towns, Oakland being the latest. He died in Sidney, Australia, while on a journey, 24 May, 1884. He married, at Tehama, Cal., 20 Aug. 1857, Adelia Tobias, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Tobias) Chaffee, b. near Tymochtee, O., 5 Jan. 1822; she d. in Oakland, Cal., 2 April, 1892.

Children:

(1) Edwin Tobias Earl, was born on a farm near Red Bluff, California, May 30, 1858; received his education mostly in the public schools of Oakland, including the High School. He m. (1) at Santa Rosa, Cal., 13 Feb. 1884, Emily, dau. of Armstead and Mary (Crawford) Runyon, b. 8 Aug. 1864. He m. (2) at Los Angeles, Cal. 30 April, 1902, Emily Moss, dau. of Joshua H. and Anne (Murrell) Jarvis, b. in Louisville, Ky.; her mother was dau. of Robert and Emily Moss of Glasgow, Ky.

In early manhood he entered into the business of fruit shipping and founded the well known Earl Fruit Company. For twenty years he occupied a leading position in the fruit world as a distributor of California fruits in all American markets and even abroad; and his car-line, known as the Continental Fruit Express, operated throughout the United States and Canada.

In 1901, at the early age of 42, Mr. Earl was able to withdraw from active business with a large fortune. He devotes himself to the affairs of several important California corporations engaged in fruit growing, in street-railroading, banking, lighting and in the generation and transmission of electric power; is also pro-

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Mr. Edwin Tobias Earl.

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prietor of the Los Angeles Express, the leading evening newspaper in Southern California. He has always been a Republican in politics, but has steadily refused to accept any political office.

Mr. Earl administers his wealth as a trust. He has bestowed large benefactions on educational and religious institutions and has for many years engaged in practical religious and philanthropic work. Since boyhood he has been a member of the Congregational church. Mr. Earl resides in Los Angeles, where he has a palatial home and is prominent in social, political and business affairs.

(2) Guy Chaffee Earl, was also born on the farm at Red Bluff, Cal., 7 May, 1861; married at Oakland, Cal., 15 Nov. 1888, Ella Jane, dau. of Jerome Bursley and Martha Pauline (Hayes) Ford, b. at Mendocino, Cal., 20 March, 1862; her father was b. at Grand Isle, Vt., and her mother at North Granby, Mass.

He fitted for college at the Oakland High School, and was graduated from the University of California in 1883; studied law and was admitted to the bar. Was county attorney 1887–1889; state senator 1892–6, declining renomination. Has law offices in San Francisco, and is identified with several important corporations. Resides in Oakland. Is one of the State regents of the University (1902–1918). Is known as a Republican in politics and a Congregationalist in religion.

Children:

(i) Alice Earl, b. 23 Sept. 1899.
(ii) Martha Ford Earl, b. 11 May, 1891.
(iii) Elinore Hayes Earl, } b. Jan. 1894.
(iv) Guy Chaffee Earl, Jr. } b. Jan. 1894.

v. PATTY, b. 1780; d. Nov., 1854; m. Thaddeus M. Wood, b. at Lenox, 9 March, 1772; Dartmouth Coll., 1790; lawyer, keen and sagacious; Brig. Gen. in war of 1812; Maj. Gen. in 1820; a very efficient officer and highly honored citizen. He d. at Syracuse, N. Y., 10 Jan., 1836.

Children of Thaddeus M. and Patty (Danforth) Wood:

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1. *Thaddeus M. Wood*, m. Maria Goddard of Montreal; d. at New Orleans, La., 7 Nov., 1832.
2. *Patty Wood*, m. (1) Thaddeus Mead; (2) Asa G. Talcott.
3. *Maria Wood*, b. 27 Jan., 1803; d. 25 March, 1884; m. Charles Ashley Baker.
4. *Theodore Wood*, b. in 1804; d. 10 Oct., 1838; m. Sophronia Willard.
5. *Julia Ann Wood*, m. Waterman C. Chapman.
6. *Junius Wood*, m. Katherine Snyder; d. 18 Aug., 1851.
7. *Emily Wood*, b. in Onondaga, N. Y., in 1810; d. 9 June, 1893, in San Antonio; m. in 1832, Oscar B. Brackett, b. in Salina, N. Y., in 1812; d. in San Antonio, Tex., in 1857.

Children:

(1) Mary Brackett, b, in Salina in 1833; d. in San Antonio, in 1883.

(2) Emily Wood Brackett, b. in Salina, 1834; m. in 1855, Chas. F. King, b. in New Hampshire in 1810; d. in San Antonio, 13 May, 1869. Removed to Texas in 1836; joined the Rangers, and was active in the contests which established Texas independent of Mexico. Mayor of San Antonio in 1848 and 1852. Children; (*a*) Emily Brackett King, b. in 1857; m. in 1873, F. A. Cooley, b. in Elizabethtown, Pa., 1847. Children, b. in Jeffersonville, Ind.; Nannie E. Cooley, b. 1874, Lloyd B. Cooley, b. 1878; Laura C. Cooley, b. 1883. (*b*) Charles F. King, b. in Brooklyn, N. Y., 1861. (*c*) Sarah Smith King, b. in San Antonio, 1865; one of the secretaries of Danforth Family Meeting in Chicago, 1893.

(3) Sarah Brackett, b. in Onondaga, 1836; m. in 1854, Samuel S. Smith, b. in Boston, 1810; d. in San Antonio, 7 Aug., 1882. Children: (*a*) Oscar B. Brackett Smith, b. in San Antonio, 1854; educated in Military School in Austin, Texas; m. in 1898, Micælia Olivarre, b. in 1866. (*b*) Thaddeus Wood Smith, b. 16 July, 1857, grad. Washington Lee University, 1876; Poughkeepsie, 1877; County clerk 1877

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Guy Chaffee Earl, A. M.

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to 1893, at San Antonio. Ch.: Thaddeus Wood Smith, b. in 1882; Sidney P. Smith, b. in 1886; Gertrude Smith, b. in 1889; Sarah Smith, b. in 1893. (*c*) Georgia C. Smith, b. in 1867; m. in 1888, J. Olivarre, b. in 1864. Children: Minnie Olivarre, b. in 1889; Joseph S. Olivarre, b. in 1893. (*d*) Minnie Smith, b. in 1870; m. in 1893, Edward Hovey, b. in 1870.

(4) Ellen Brackett, b. in Syracuse, in 1843; m. in 1865, Simeon W. Cooley, b. in Missouri, 1844; d. at Fort Stockton, Tex., 1883. Their dau. Nannie Ekin Cooley, m. at St. Mark's Church, San Antonio. Wed. Oct. 7, 1896, William Moore White.

8. *Augustus Wood*, m. Sarah Matthews.

207. vi. ADAMS, m. Betsey Smith; had two children; d. some years ago: widow was in Michigan at last accounts.

## 97.

JOHN[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Dunstable, Mass., 17 Feb., 1748; married at Billerica, May 6, 1779, Mercy Wait. Was one of the pioneers of Liverpool, N. Y., in 1789, his nephew Asa Danforth being associated with him and a few others. He kept tavern in Liverpool.

Children:

i. RUFUS.[7]
ii. MERCY, b. at Billerica, 11 Nov., 1779.
iii. JOHN.
iv. SAMUEL.
v. SALLY.
vi. ANN, m. —— Cleaves.
vii. A daughter, m. —— Batcheler.
viii. A daughter, m. —— Pool; res. Cicero, near Liverpool.
ix. POLLY, m. Handley Lamb.

JOHN, Western. Private, Capt. Reuben Read's co. of Minute-men, Col. Jonathan Warner's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Roxbury; service, 5 days; *also*, Capt. Peter Harwood's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 1 week 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, return of men enlisted or drafted into Continental Army from East co. in Western, 4th Worcester Co. regt., as returned to Col. James Converse, endorsed "Brookfield, Sept. 1, 1777"; residence, Western; engaged for town of Western; joined Capt. Slayton's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; term, during war; *also*, Sergeant, Capt. Field's co., Col. Sheppard's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from March 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1729; *also*, Capt. Reuben Slayton's co., Col. William Shepard's (3d) regt.; muster

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return dated Valley Forge, Jan. 30, 1778; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster rolls for July, Aug., Oct. and Nov., 1778, dated Providence; *also*, Colonel's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; appointed March 1, 1777; *also*, same co. and regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; *also*, Colonel's co., Col. Shepard's (4th) regt.; return for gratuity dated Highlands, Feb. 24, 1780; *also*, same co. and regt.; return made up for the year 1780, dated at West Point, Jan. 28, 1780 [1781]; *also*, Sergeant, (late) Capt. James Cooper's co., Col. William Shepard's regt.; muster roll for May, 1781. dated West Point; *also*, Capt. Lebbeus Drew's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; muster rolls for June and July, 1781, dated Phillipsburgh; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Aug., 1781; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Sept., 1781, dated Continental Village; *also*, same co. and regt; muster rolls for Oct., 1781–Feb., 1782, dated York Hutts.

JOHN. Private; list of men returned as serving on main guard at Prospect Hill under Lieut. Col. Loammi Baldwin dated July 16, 1775.

## 97*a*.

"JUDGE" JONATHAN[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Brookfield, Mass., 21 Dec., 1752; died at Cobbleskill, N. Y., 4 Feb., 1807; married Judith Spaulding, born 1765, died 8 June, 1840. He was in the battle of Bunker Hill, and afterward served in the company commanded by his brother Asa, under Gates, at the surrender of Burgoyne. He removed from Brookfield to Albany, N. Y., making his home where now the state house stands; kept tavern; removed to Schoharie county and engaged in road-building; "originated" the Cherry Valley and Athens turn-pike.

Children:

208. i. THOMAS PAINE,[7] b. 20 June, 1781.
209. ii. GEORGE, b. 9 Nov., 1789.
iii. JOHN JAY, settled at Amsterdam, N. Y., in the practice of law; married.
iv. ORPHA, b. 14 Oct., 1801; d. 23 Feb., 1818; her grave stone calls her "Orra," and "daughter of Jno. Danforth."

JONATHAN, Brookfield. Private, Capt. Peter Harwood's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; reported as serving in place of John Smith of Brookfield; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Dec. 20, 1775; *also*, Capt. Asa Danforth's co. of volunteers, Col. Convers's regt.; service, 31 days; company marched from Brookfield Sept. 23, 1777, to join army under Gen. Gates. (See also Nos. 44, 92a and 102.)

## 97*b*.

RUFUS[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born (date unknown); believed to be the man who was one of the assessors of the town of Salina, N. Y., in 1809. Mr. Mars.

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Neering, of Liverpool, N. Y., states that he was a brother of John Danforth. He is said to have been drowned in Oneida Lake.

It is asserted that he had a son William,[7] who was the father of Eliza Danforth that married Jefferson Church, of L., and died about 1850.

98.

JOHN[6] (*John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 July, 1756*; died 16 Aug., 1796; married 14 Sept., 1779, Hannah Bancroft, born 17 May, 1755, died 12 April, 1806. [Compare with 42 and 48*a* for Revolutionary record and other particulars.] "John Danforth, of Middlesex Co., Mass., aged 78," received a pension in 1834, $96 per *annum*.

Child:

211. JOHN,[7] b. 29 May, 1788.

99.

JOSHUA[6] (*Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woburn, 14 Dec., 1754; died at Danvers, 3 Feb., 1834; married 15 June, 1781, Lydia Sweetser, born in Saugus, 7 April, 1763, died there 8 May, 1845. She joined with her brothers and sisters, Benjamin, William, Oliver and Ephraim Sweetser, Hannah Tuttle, Betsey Hawk, Sally Raddin and Mary Breed in a quitclaim deed in 1816.

* Is he not the person here mentioned?

JOHN, Billerica (also given Tewksbury). Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted July 23, 1775; service, 9 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, descriptive list of men raised in Middlesex Co. to reinforce Continental Army, agreeable to resolve of June 9, 1779, as returned by Brig. Gen. Eleazer Brooks to Maj. Gen. Hosmer, dated Lincoln, July 22, 1779; age, 22 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; residence, Billerica (also given Tewksbury); Capt. Pollard's (also given Capt. Trull's) co., 7th Middlesex Co. regt.; delivered to Lieut. J. Grace; *also*, Private, Capt. Pierce's co., Col. Michael Jackson's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; *also*, descriptive list of enlisted men dated Jan. 1, 1781; age, 24 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 7 in.; complexion, light; hair, light; occupation, yeoman; birthplace, Billerica; residence, Billerica; enlisted for town of Billerica; enlisted Sept. 1, 1779, at West Point, by Lieut. Wethrell; joined Capt. Peirce's (6th) co., Col. Michael Jackson's (8th) regt.; enlistment, during war.

JOHN. Private, Capt. Japheth Daniels's co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's (5th) regt.; wages allowed for Feb.-Dec., 1782, 11 months; reported on command in March, 1782.

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He was a "trader"; lived in Lynn; bought land there in 1793. He served in the Revolutionary army and received a pension of $96 per annum from the year 1818, for the continuance of which his widow petitioned in April, 1834. After her death a list of her surviving children was filed in Middlesex Probate Court, with affidavits respecting her pension.

Children:

212. i. JOSIAH,[7] or JOSHUA,[7] b. 3 Jan., 1784.
ii. LYDIA, b. 13 May, 1785; d. 3 Nov., 1805.
iii. EUNICE, b. 28 Dec., 1787; m. in Lynn, 8 Feb., 1807, Thomas Bates.
213. iv. JOSEPH, b. 2 Sept., 1790.
v. LUCINDA, b. 21 Jan., 1793; d. 29 July, 1843; m. 26 Oct., 1813, James, son of Jephtha and Sarah (Blaney) Marston, b. at Marblehead, 14 Dec., 1788; d. in 1853. Res. Lynn.

Children of James and Lucinda (Danforth) Marston:

1. *Hannah Marston*, b. 24 March, 1815.
2. *James M. Marston*, b. 1817.
3. *William B. Marston*, b. 1819.
4. *Lucinda Marston*, b. 1822.
5. *Augustus Marston*, b. 20 Dec., 1824.
6. *George W. Marston*, b. 1827.
7. *Jacob Benjamin Marston*, b. 12 Oct., 1830; d. 1 March, 1882; m. his cousin Sarah Elizabeth, dau. of 213, Joseph Danforth.

vi. SALLY, b. 30 May, 1795; m. 29 May, 1814, Henry Slade of Chelsea.
vii. DOROTHY, b. 28 July, 1797; d. 7 Feb., 1875; m. first, 13 Nov., 1823, in Medford, Asa, son of John and Elizabeth (Terry) Tufts, b. in May, 1799; d. 16 Nov., 1836. She married, second, 21 Nov., 1838, Oliver Tufts, brother of John, b. in Oct. 1801; d. 16 May, 1883. Res. Somerville.

Children of Asa and Dorothy (Danforth) Tufts:

1. *Caroline Elizabeth Tufts*, b. 4 April, 1826; m. 7 Jan., 1849, Franklin Henderson. Res. Somerville. Ch.: Evelyn Louisa Henderson, b. 26 Jan., 1852; m. 9 Sept., 1873, Edward D. Vreeland, of Somerville. Ch.: (1) Carolyn Elizabeth Vreeland, b. 12 April, 1877; m. 30 Nov., 1898, Shirley R. Ells. (2) Louise Augusta Vreeland, b. 8 March, 1879; m. 4 Feb., 1902, William Joseph Mitchell. (3) Elsie Ladd Vreeland, b. 12 May, 1883; m. 4 Feb., 1902 (double wedding), Arthur Garfield Collier.
2. *William Sumner Tufts*, b. 31 Jan., 1833; d. 3 Dec., 1891; m. 26 Dec., 1859, his cousin, Mary Elizabeth Horton, b. 25 Jan., 1831. Ch.: Clara Belle Tufts, b. 24 April, 1862; m. Oliver Bacon, accountant in Boston, res. in Somerville. Ch.: (1) Wallace Irving

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Bacon, b. 11 Feb., 1882. (2) Gertrude Tufts Bacon, b. 7 Oct., 1883. (3) Bertha Mildred Bacon, b. 10 Jan., 1887.

3. *Anne Louisa Tufts*, b. 31 Oct., 1840; m. 20 Dec., 1874, Dr. Wm. Kelly Fletcher. Res. Cambridge.

viii. MARY, b. 30 July, 1799; d. 8 Oct., 1874; m. in July, 1824, Francis Richard Horton, b. at Marblehead, 1795; d. 14 July, 1867.

Children of Francis R. and Mary (Danforth) Horton:

1. *Lucy Ann Horton*, b. 1824; d. 1825.
2. *Richard Horton*, b. at Lynn, 1 Feb., 1826; d. 16 Aug., 1882: m. (1) in 1852, Jane Russ; m. (2) in 1860, Sarah F. Smith.
3. *Hannah Maria Horton*, b. 29 Sept., 1828; m. 27 Nov., 1851, Stephen P., son of Stephen and Elizabeth (Jacobs) Coates. He was a mason; worked for D. H. Jacobs & Co., 40 years.

   Ch.:

   (1) Walter Coates, b. 23 Dec., 1852; d. 16 July, 1860.
   (2) Arthur B. Coates, b. 3 July, 1854; manufacturer of holiday goods; res. Cliftondale.
   (3) Clarence Coates, b. 9 Oct., 1856; m. in June, 1884, Susan F. Goodwin, who d. 4 Nov., 1896. Ch.: Alice Coates, b. 6 July, 1886.
4. *Mary Elizabeth Horton*, b. 25 Aug., 1831; m. in 1859, her cousin, William, son of Asa and Dorothy (Danforth) Tufts.

ix. LAVINIA, b. 2 Jan., 1802; m. Aaron T. Mills.

x. ELIZA, b. 1 Dec., 1804; d. 27 Nov., 1895; m. in July, 1826, Charles, son of Ebenezer and Sarah (McKenny) Jordan, b. in Danville, Me., 25 Oct., 1798, d. 14 June, 1873; was a farmer, residing in the part of old Danville now Auburn, Me.

Children of Charles and Eliza (Danforth) Jordan:

1. *Royal Stimpson Jordan*, b. 17 Nov., 1828; m. 1 Jan., 1852, Susan Jane Beal, b. 10 April, 1862, d. 15 Oct., 1871.

   Children:

   (1) Samuel Beal Jordan, b. 30 Oct., 1853; m. 30 Oct., 1875, Maggie Brown.
   (2) Eliza Ann Jordan, b. 20 June, 1856; m. 17 June, 1873, Seward T. Penley.
   (3) Sarah Jordan, b. 9 Sept., 1859; m. ——— Reed.
   (4) Ida Belle Jordan, b. 4 Aug., 1861; m. ——— Foss.

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2. *Lydia Maria Sewester Jordan*, b. 14 Aug., 1831; m. at Lewiston, Me., as his second wife, George Hanson, b. in Dover, N. H., in Jan., 1825, d. in Dorchester, Mass., 10 Nov., 1897. He was a contractor and builder, of most excellent record. As a young man he removed to Malden, where he learned his business. During the war he was in the lumber business in the South, under government contracts. He afterward removed to Lewiston, Me., and became a contractor and builder of large structures in various parts of New England and New York, among which the City Hall and Pine St. Church in Lewiston and the Lockwood Cotton Mills at Waterville may be specially mentioned. Thirty churches were in the list. He was famed for integrity and thoroughness. He had a country seat at South Auburn, Me., and a residence at Dorchester, Mass., where Mrs. Hanson still resides.
3. *Lavinia Danforth Jordan*, b. 10 Oct., 1833; d. in Sept., 1894; m. Thomas Mansfield.
4. *Charles Jordan*, b. 24 March, 1834; d. in Iowa, 30 Dec., 1856.
5. *Eben Jordan*, b. 24 Aug., 1836; m. in 1865, Ellen Bedell; m. (2) 2 June, 1886, Sarah Pelham Larrabee. He is a wholesale dry goods merchant in Boston.
   Children:
   (1) Alvah Henry Jordan, b. in 1868; paper manufacturer, New York.
   (2) Clara M. Jordan, b. 1870.
6. *Hannah Hastings Jordan*, b. 14 Feb., 1838; d. 3 Nov., 1858.
7. *Caroline Tufts Jordan*, b. 20 Sept., 1840; d. in March, 1893; m. William Chapman; res. So. Auburn, Me.
   Children:
   (1) Caroline Chapman, b. at Westbrook, Me., 4 Nov., 1860; m. Dr. Donald; res. Gardiner, Me.
   (2) Lillian E. Chapman, b. 15 Oct., 1862; m. John P. Garcelon; res. Auburn, Me.
   (3) Carrie May Chapman, b. 1 May, 1869; m. Ernest Dyer; res. Auburn.
8. *Sarah Ringott Jordan*, b. 3 Feb., 1843; d. 24 Sept., 1858.
9. *Chandler Jordan*, b. 10 April, 1846; m. in Boston, 11 Jan., 1888, Florence Maude Blodgett, b. 3 Nov., 1861. Commission merchant in Boston; res. Dorchester.
   Children:
   (1) Clifford Leslie Jordan, b. 13 Sept., 1889.
   (2) Florence Madeline, b. 21 May, 1898.

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10 *Joshua Danforth Jordan*, b. 21 April, 1848; d. 24 Sept., 1851.

214. xi. JOHN, b. 4 March, 1807.

JOSHUA, Lynn. Private, Capt. Ezra Newhall's (Lynn) co. of Minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 15 days; *also*, Capt. Ezra Newhall's co., Col. John Mansfield's regt.; order for advance pay for 1 month dated Cambridge, June 8, 1775; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 4, 1775; service, 3 mos. 4 days; *also*, Capt. Newhall's co., Col. Mansfield's (19th) regt. commanded by Lieut. Col. Israel Hutchinson; company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Winter Hill, Nov. 4, 1775; *also*, Corporal; list of men belonging to Lynn, now called Lynn, Lynnfield and Saugus, who served at Concord battle and elsewhere [year not given]; *also*, Private, Capt Joseph Hiller's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's regt.; arrived at destination May 5, 1777; discharged July 5, 1777; service, 2 mos. 6 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; roll dated Camp at Providence; *also*, list of men raised in Essex Co. for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, returned as received of Jonathan Warner, Commissioner, by Brig. Gen. J. Glover, at Fort Arnold, July 9, 1778; arrived at Fishkill July 4, 1778; *also*, descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for the term of 6 months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justice Ely, Commissioner, by Brig. Gen. John Glover, at Springfield, July 11, 1780; age, 25 yrs.: stature, 5 ft. 8 in.; complexion, ruddy; engaged for town of Lynn; arrived at Springfield July 10, 1780; marched to camp July 11, 1780, under command of Capt. George Webb; *also*, list of men raised for the 6 months service and returned by Brig. Gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780; *also*, pay roll for 6 months men raised by the town of Lynn for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 27, 1780; discharged Dec 5, 1780; service, 5 mos. 20 days.

## 100.

BENJAMIN,[6] (*Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Lynnfield, 21 Feb., 1773; died there 29 June, 1854; married 24 Aug., 1795, Nellie Blanchard, born in Andover 4 Jan., 1776; died 21 June, 1854. He was a "cordwainer," *i.e.* a shoemaker. He and his wife "Nelly" sold a tract of land in Lynnfield 6 April, 1811.

Children:

i. NELLIE,[7] b. 12 Jan., 1796; d. unm., 6 Nov., 1812.

ii. LUCY, b. 26 Jan., 1797; m. 23 Aug., 1825, John Trull.

Children of John and Lucy (Danforth) Trull:

1. *Nancy Trull.* 2. *Mary Trull.*
3. *Silas Trull.* 4. *John Trull.*

iii. CYNTHIA, b. at Danvers, 16 March, 1800; d. 22 May, 1833; m. 25 May, 1823, George Smith.

iv. BENJAMIN, b. 24 Dec., 1801; d. 13 Jan., 1804.

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vi. MARY, b. 24 Dec., 1805; d. 15 July, 1828.
vii. STILLMAN, b. 4 Aug., 1809; d. 26 Feb., 1834; m. 22 June, 1831, Jane Kent Stimpson, who survived him and married second ——— Vinton; residence Wakefield, Mass.
viii. SYLVANUS, b. 13 Jan., 1811; d. 16 Sept., 1813.
ix. ELEANOR, b. at Reading, 24 Aug., 1813; d, 15 Oct., 1815.
x. ALICE BLANCHARD, b. 17 April, 1816; d. 5 Dec., 1842; m. 15 March, 1840, Alfred Copp, also born at Saugus.

## 101.

JOSHUA[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Western, now Warren, Mass., 26 Nov., 1759; died at Pittsfield, 30 Jan., 1837; married 15 Jan., 1786, Salome, daughter of Hon. David and Abigail (Bennett) Noble, of Williamstown; she died 30 May, 1814.

Joshua Danforth, hindered from obtaining the college education his father designed by the coming on of the War of the Revolution, received a valuable training while serving his country. As a boy of fifteen he entered the company of which his father had command and rose from corporal to surgeon's mate; was with the company at Bunker Hill; made ensign the next year; lieutenant 1778, paymaster and captain in 1781. Is said to have served at Ticonderoga, Saratoga, Valley Forge, Monmouth, and Tappan Bay. Received a pension of $240 *per annum* in 1818.

When in 1783 the army was disbanded, Col. Danforth was retained in service to assist in settling the soldiers' accounts, and was honorably discharged in 1784. In May of that year he engaged in business in Pittsfield in company with Col. Simon Larned. In 1786 with Judge Sedgwick he traversed Berkshire co. to allay excitement caused by Shay's rebellion. In 1787 was appointed aid-de-camp to Major General Patterson and the same year was commissioned Justice of the Peace by Governor Hancock. He was one of the associated officers of the army who founded the Society of the Cincinnati.

In 1794 was appointed by Washington, postmaster of Pittsfield; and he lived to be the oldest postmaster in the country. From about this time until 1823 he held the office of town clerk, treasurer, selectman, and assessor; was five years representative in the Legislature; in 1807 associate justice and in 1808 chief justice of the Court of Sessions; was appointed by Madison, U. S. marshal and also principal assessor and collector of revenue, 18th district of Massachusetts.

In 1827 and 1828 was elected member of the Governor's Council; was one of the building committee of the Congregational Church and was always prominent in works for the public good.

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Children:

i. MARIA,[7] b. 6 April, 1792; d. at Southampton, 24 Feb., 1860; m. 25 May, 1820, Gamaliel Pomeroy, farmer, of South Hampton.

ii. HENRIETTA, b. 20 Oct. 1793; d. 13 Oct., 1872, unm.

iii. HARRIET DEWEY, b. 8 Dec., 1795; m. 5 Nov., 1817, Rev. Jonathan Lee, of Otis. "A son is a physician; a daughter married a Congregational minister."

216. iv. JOSHUA NOBLE, b. 1 April, 1798.

v. SALOME, b. with preceding, d. 15 April, 1798.

vi. AMELIA, b. 4 July, 1801; d. in Pittsfield 15 Nov., 1874; m. in 1841 Titus Merriam Roberts, of Pittsfield, b. in Bristol, 1793; a hat and fur dealer; d. in Springfield 13 April, 1856. No children.

vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 5 May, 1804; m. Sarah Riggs; removed to Neosho, Mo. Left no children.

217. vii. SAMUEL ADAMS, b. with preceding, 5 May, 1804.

viii. SALOME ABIGAIL, b. 23 April, 1808; m. George William Stevens, of London.

ix. FRANCES ELIZABETH, b. 24 Nov., 1810; d. at Minneapolis, Minn., 23 Sept., 1893; m. (1) 15 July, 1828, Platt Theo. Burr, M.D., of Paterson, N. J.; he went to Avoyelles, La., and there died; she m. (2) 23 June, 1862, David Goodrich, a lumber merchant, New Albany, Ind., son of Rev. Charles Goodrich, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Children of Platt T. and Frances E. (Danforth) Burr:

1. *Ellen Celeste Burr*, b. 14 Aug., 1830; d. 9 Feb., 1878; m. July, 1847, James Smith Jelley, b. Rising Sun, Ind.; lawyer; Maj. 83d Ind. Vol. Inf. in War of Rebellion. Wounded at battle of Arkansas Post so that he was compelled to resign. U. S. commissioner at Leavenworth, Kan., in 1865. In 1873 returned to Rising Sun; d. 20 March, 1886.
2. *Frances Elizabeth Burr*, b. Aug., 1832; d. July, 1834.
3. *Frances Amelia Burr*, b. 26 Nov., 1834; m. Francis Kellogg Field.
4. *Mary Henrietta Burr*, b. 30 Nov., 1836; m. Marcus Watson Lewis.
5. *Washburn Clinton Burr*, b. 4 March, 1838; d. 14 Dec., 1882; m. (1) Caroline Nelson Donaldson; m. (2) Alice Ann Kane.
6. *John Danforth Burr*, b. 23 Sept., 1839; a Baptist minister; m. Emma Jane Lods.
7. *Platt Burr*, b. 13 March, 1844. [See Stewart's Hist. Montana.]

JOSHUA, Western (also given Brookfield). Corporal, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's co., Col. David Brewer's (9th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 5, 1775; service, 3 mos. 4 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, Capt Danforth's co., Col. Rufus Putnam's (late David Brewer's) 9th regt.; order for

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bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Nov. 14, 1775; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's regt.; muster roll dated Camp at Ticonderoga, Nov. 27, 1776; appointed Jan. 1, 1776; promoted to Sergeant Oct. 5, 1776; *also*, return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Capt. Joseph Cutler's co., Col. James Converse's (4th Worcester Co.) regt., dated Western, Feb. 20, 1778; residence, Western (also given Brookfield); engaged for town of Western; joined Capt. Wellington's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; term, 3 years; *also*, Private, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Col. Calvin Smith's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from May 15, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; promoted to Sergeant March 1, 1778; reported as serving 9 mos. 15 days as Private, 22 mos. as Sergeant; *also*, Capt. Thomas Willington's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's regt.; enlisted May 15, 1777; service, 1 mo. 16 days; roll certified at Boston and made up for wages to July 1, 1777, payment of which had been refused by Jonathan Trumbull, P. M. G., at Albany, on account of said Danforth and others not having joined regiment before said date; *also*, Sergeant, same co. and regt.; muster roll for June, 1778, dated Camp Greenwich; *also*, same co. and regt.; pay abstract for Oct., 1778: *also*, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; *also*, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Col. Calvin Smith's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to April 15, 1780; promoted to Ensign April 15, 1780; *also*, Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's (12th) regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from April 15, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; reported as serving 3 mos. 15 days as Ensign, 5 mos. as Lieutenant; *also*, Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's (12th) regt.: list of officers promoted in the Continental Army; said Danforth commissioned April 16, 1780; *also*, Ensign, 12th regt.; certificate dated Boston, July 13, 1780, signed by Lieut. Asa Bullard, stating that said Danforth and other officers were in actual service at date of certificate; *also*, Ensign, (late) Col. Sprout's (12th) regt.; list of officers in actual service dated Jan. 17, 1781; *also*, Paymaster, 2d Mass. regt.; muster roll of field and staff officers for May and June, 1783; reported on command at West Point; *also*, Lieutenant, acting as Paymaster, Lieut. Col. Ebenezer Sprout's (2d) regt.; muster roll of field and staff officers dated Camp, July 11, 1783; reported on command at West Point; *also*, same regiment; returns from July 11, 1783, to Aug. 8, 1783, dated Philadelphia; reported acting as Paymaster at West Point; *also*, same regt.; return dated Philadelphia, Aug. 15, 1783; reported acting as Paymaster at New Windsor.

JOSHUA, Williamstown. Return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Capt. Samuel Clark's (2 Williamstown) co. [year not given]; residence, Williamstown; engaged for Williamstown; joined Capt. McNeal's co., Col. Wigsworth's (Wigglesworth's) regt.; term 8 months; *also*, Capt. Thomas Willington's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; muster return [year not given]; mustered by Trueman Wheler.

JOSHUA (DANFORD). List of men mustered between January 20, 1777, and June 1, 1778, by Trueman Wheler, muster master for Berkshire Co.; Capt. Whittenton's company; term 3 years or during the war.

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"COL." JONATHAN[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), was born in Western 2 March, 1761; died at Georgia, Vt., 19 Jan., 1847–8; married 14 Nov., 1784, Abigail,

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daughter of David Johnson, of Williamstown, born 6 Aug., 1766, died 25 Aug., 1836. As a child he went with his parents to Williamstown; then removed to St. Albans, Vt., and later to Georgia, on the Lamoile river, in the same state. Was a soldier of the Revolution, and received, 1818–1834, a pension of $96 *per annum*.

Children:

i. PHEBE MARIA,[7] b. 14 Oct., 1785; died of consumption 16 Sept., 1827; m. at her father's house in Georgia, about 1802, Reuben Wood, b. in Bennington, 16 Oct., 1779, died of typhoid fever 26 June, 1827.

Children of Reuben and Phebe M. (Danforth) Wood:

1. *Hannah Wood*, b. 12 Dec., 1804; m. in 1830, E. White; rem. to Michigan, where both d. in 1836.
2. *Dr. John Danforth Wood*, b. 8 Oct., 1806; M. D. Univ. Vt., 1830; d. at Yankton, So. Dak., 20 Oct., 1887; m. 30 May, 1831, Jane Maria Merrill, b. 10 Aug., 1811; d. 30 July, 1880. She was a dau. of Derrick and Rhoda (Whitney) Merrill. He practised medicine many years at Lancaster, Wis. Rem. in 1872 to Yankton, S. D., buying and selling land, loaning money, etc. His daughter, Eleanor Maria Wood, b. 3 April, 1836; m. 4 Sept., 1860, Wm. Pitt Dewey, b. 30 July, 1833. He was Asst. Surgeon 41 Wis. Vol. Inf., 1864.
3. *Rev. Charles Henry Wood*, b. 11 Nov., 1808; m. Maria, dau. of Capt. Milton N. and Fannie (Stannard) Torrey. Preached in Grant co., Wis., 1834–1848.
4. *David Johnson Wood*, b. 16 Oct., 1810; d. 1834; m. Emily Gillett of Fairfax, Vt.
5. *Celia Wood*, m. 8 Feb., 1835, Dexter Ward; d. at St. Louis, Mo., 9 Nov., 1894.
6. *Dr. Enos Parker Wood*, m. (1) Marion Cleveland; m. (2) Mrs. Voorhies; d. at Roseville, Cal., 9 Feb., 1889.
7. *Rev. Reuben Richardson Wood*, b. 10 Dec., 1819; m. (1) March 1, 1848, Rebecca Titsworth, who d. 4 March, 1853; m. (2) her sister, Sarah Ann Titsworth. Capt. 2d Regt. and 53d regt. Wis. V. I., mustered out 18 Aug., 1865. Educated for the ministry, and preached at Clear Lake, Ia.
8. *Myron Winslow Wood*, b. 1 Nov., 1823; m. (1) Mary Love Densmore, b. Tarrytown, N. Y. 1819; d. Lancaster, Wis., 1862; m. (2) Mrs. Pamelia (Whitney) McKee, b. Commerce co., Ill., 10 Sept., 1833. He was a major in the Civil War.
9. *Edwin Wood*, m. Elizabeth Pickett; rem. to New Orleans in 1849; d. at Baton Rouge about 1853.

218. ii. DAVID JOHNSON, b. 24 Jan., 1788.
219. iii. JONATHAN REED, b. 8 Jan., 1790.

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220. iv. HENRY KEYES, b. 3 April, 1792.

221. v. WILLIAM, b. 27 March, 1794.

vi. LYDIA HENRIETTA, b. 22 March, 1796; d. 26 Aug., 1833; m. at St. Johnsbury, Dr. —— Page of Waterville, Vt.

Child of Dr. and Lydia H. (Danforth) Page:

*Adelia H. Page*, m. in 1854, Hon. Luke Potter Poland, eldest son of Luther and Nancy (Potter) Poland, b. in Westford, Vt., 1 Nov., 1815; d. 1 July, 1887. He studied law; was admitted to the bar of Lamoile co., in 1836. Was elected judge of the Supreme Court in 1842 and sixteen subsequent years; resigned in 1865 to accept the appointment of U. S. Senator to succeed Judge Collamer. As a jurist he was able and discriminating; by his high sense of justice and courtly bearing he gained large influence.

vii. CLARISSA, b. 21 March, 1799; d. 26 Aug., 1848; m. as his second wife, Curtis Wilkinson. He d. 11 March, 1850. [See below, ix.]

Children of Curtis and Clarissa (Danforth) Wilkinson:

1. *Sarah Louisa Wilkinson*, b. 8 Oct., 1830; d. 27 March, 1854; m. Dr. Crouch.
2. *Charlotte Ann Wilkinson*, b. 28 March, 1832.
3. *George Curtis Wilkinson*, b. 22 Aug., 1834; m. 3 Jan., 1854, Maria P. Bullard; res. Keeseville, N. Y.
4. *Jonathan Danforth Wilkinson*, b. 5 March, 1840; res. Plattsburg, N. Y.

viii. E. PORTER, b. 24 Nov., 1801; d. 9 Sept., 1881; m. Paulina Kingsbury.

ix. ABIGAIL LOUISA, b. 18 March, 1804; d. 14 Sept., 1827; m. Curtis Wilkinson (his first wife).

Child of Curtis and Abigail L. (Danforth) Wilkinson:

*Maria Porter Wilkinson*, b. 2 Aug., 1825.

x. CHARLOTTE ANN, b. 19 Aug., 1806; d. unm. 3 Aug. 1831.

JONATHAN, Jr. Private, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's regt.; muster roll dated Camp at Ticonderoga, Nov. 27, 1776; enlisted Nov. 24, 1775; reported on furlough by leave of Gen. Gates.

JONATHAN. List of 9 months men mustered by Thomas Newhall, Muster Master for Worcester Co.; Capt. Nye's co., Col. Grout's regt.; mustered July 2, 1779; engaged for town of Barre; *also*, descriptive list of men raised for Continental service as returned by Seth Washburn, Superintendent for Worcester Co.; Capt. Nye's co., Col. Grout's regt.; age, 36 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 9 in.; complexion, dark; marched July 21, 1779.

JONATHAN. Private, Capt. Israel Harris's co., Col. Benjamin Symond's (Berkshire Co.) regt.; enlisted Oct. 26, 1780; discharged Oct. 31, 1780; service, 9 days, travel included; company marched to the Northern frontier by order of Gen. Fellows on an alarm; *also*, Sergeant, Capt. Samuel Sloan's co., Col. Asa Barns's regt.; entered ser-

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vice Oct. 11, 1781; service, 14 days, 4 days travel allowed in addition; company marched from Berkshire Co. by order of Gen. Stark on an alarm at Saratoga. (See also 44, 92*a* and 97*a*.)

## 103.

COOWIE or COWEE[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 19 Jan., 1776; died there 3 Aug., 1850; married Clarissa, daughter of Col. Samuel Tyler of W., born 1783, died 28 June, 1858. He was a farmer and butcher.

Children:

i. ACHSA,[7] m. Harry Dunning, of Pownal, Vt.

ii. JONATHAN, b. 1803; d. at Russell, O., 1879; removed to the Black River country; m.; after years sent invitation to his brother William to attend his golden wedding. Visits were exchanged later.

iii. MARSHALL; also removed to the Black River country.

iv. SAMUEL, m. (1) Cynthia Crandall; m. (2) Almira Temple. He d. about 1881.

Children:

1. *Tyler*,[8] b. 1830; m. (1) Ellen Sherman; m. (2) Harriet Smith; he is a manufacturer in Williamstown; served in the war of the Rebellion.

Children:

(1) Blanche.[9]

(2) Cynthia, m. Marshall Clifford Danforth.

2. *Amanda*, b. 1839; m. Henry Temple, of Watertown. Had a son who went West, but returned and took his father's farm. The widow res. in Pownal, Vt.

3. *David*, b. 1833; m. Harriet Jepson; d. 1875.

v. WILLIAM, b. 1810; d. 17 Dec., 1885; m. (1) Betsey Kimball, of Williamstown; m. (2) Eliza Sanders, of same place.

Children:

1. *Mary*,[8] b. 1838; d. unm. 1860.

2. *Henry Erving*, b. 1843; d. 24 Nov., 1883; m. Mary Allen of W.

Child:

Stella.[9]

3. *Marshall Clifford*, b. 1845; d. 6 Nov., 1883; m. Cynthia, dau. of his cousin Tyler Danforth.

vi. JAMES, m.; had daus. Ruth and Jane.

vii. CLARISSA, b. 1819; d. 20 Sept., 1845; m. Rev. Geo. R. Entee (Williams Coll. 1842).

viii. AMBROSE, b. 1822; Will. Coll. 1844; Pittsfield Med. Sch. 1847. Settled in Tennessee: was surgeon in Union Army in War of the Rebellion. Family,—particulars wanting.

ix. MILTON, d. unm.

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KEYES[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 6 June, 1778; died there 6 Oct., 1851; married in 1800, Mary, daughter of Ephraim Bushnell, of Saybrook, Conn., born 28 Sept., 1784, died 27 Jan., 1867. He was for three years county commissioner; represented his district in the Legislature several years; was widely known and esteemed for his sound judgment and firmness of purpose. Of his children three sons were lawyers and the four sisters all married men of the same profession.

Children:

223. i. CHARLES,[7] b. 5 Feb., 1804.

ii. EPHRAIM BUSHNELL, b. 11 June, 1806; d. 17 Aug., 1853; m., 4 Sept., 1837, Elizabeth Pingry Foster, b. 22 June, 1816. No children.

224. iii. GEORGE, b. 24 July, 1808.

iv. MARY BUSHNELL, b. 31 Aug., 1811; d. at Washington, D. C., 27 Jan., 1893; m. Dec.. 1838, Hon. Abram B. Olin, b. Dec., 1810; Williams Coll. 1835; member Congress from Rensellaer district four terms; during the war for the Union chairman of Com. on the Conduct of the War; judge of Supreme Court of District of Columbia till he was 70 years of age. He d. at Washington, but was buried at Williamstown. No children.

v. HANNAH MARIA, b. 20 Oct., 1815; m. Feb., 1841, Hon. Joseph White, b. at Charlemont, 18 Nov., 1811; Williams Coll. 1836; tutor there 1839–40; studied law in Troy, N. Y., with Hon. Martin I. Townsend, M.C.; partner of Mr. Olin until 1848; supt. Mass. Mills, Lowell; state senator 1856; Bank Commissioner under Gov. Banks; Sec. Board of Education; treasurer and secretary Williams Coll. and trustee many years; d. 21 Nov., 1890.

vi. HARRIET NEWELL, b. 14 April, 1818; d. 30 April, 1859; m. 8 Aug., 1844, Col. George Huntington Browne, of Providence, R. I., son of Elisha and Phebe (Bowditch) Browne, b. at Gloucester, R. I., 6 Jan., 1818; d. at Providence, 26 Sept., 1885; Brown Univ. 1840; read law with Hon. Samuel Y. Atwell; was admitted to the bar in 1843; had extensive practice. Member State Assembly 1842 and 1859; member 37th Congress, U. S.; U. S. District Attorney 1853–1860; delegate to Democratic Convention at Charleston, S. C., 1860; Colonel 12th Regt. R. I. Vol. Inf.; State Senator 1872; elected Chief Justice Supreme Court of R. I., but ill health forbade his acceptance.

Children of George H. and Harriet H. (Danforth) Browne:

1. *Keyes Danforth Browne*, b. 14 Dec., 1846; m. 30 July, 1876, at Ogden, U., Bertha, dau. of Samuel and

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Catherine (Thomas) Burt, b. at Lynne, U., 26 July, 1856.

2. *Chad Elisha Browne*, b. 21 Oct., 1845; d. 7 Oct., 1850.
3. *Mary Bushnell Browne*, b. 27 Oct., 1850; m. in Aug., 1870, Jacob Maus Schermerhorn, of Syracuse, N. Y., some time treas. of Terra Cotta Co. of Ravenswood, L. I.

225. vii. KEYES, Junior, b. 11 Jan., 1822.

viii. HELEN AUGUSTA, b. 30 Aug., 1828; m. in Sept., 1855, Asahel C. Geer, of Troy, N. Y., lawyer; collector of Rens. district under Pres. Lincoln; sec. W. A. Wood Mowing and Reaping Machine Co., &c. [See Am. Monthly Mag., Nov., 1893.]

Children of Asahel C. and Helen A. (Danforth) Geer:

1. *Walter Geer*, b. 19 Aug., 1857; Williams Coll. 1878; president Terra Cotta Co., Ravenswood, L. I.; m. 26 Sept., 1883, Mary, dau. of Alonzo B. Potter, of N. Y. City.
2. *Danforth Geer*, b. 25 May, 1859; Wms. Coll. 1879; m. 6 June, 1888, Amy, dau. of Willard Gay, of Troy, N. Y., b. 9 Feb., 1861. Ass. sec. Wood Machine Co.

Ch.:

(1) Danforth Geer, Jr., b. 12 April, 1889.
(2) Augusta Danforth Geer, b. 5 Dec., 1892.

## 105.

WILLIAM WOODWARD[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 13 June, 1787; farmer; lived and died at Sodus, N. Y. He married Cynthia Noble.

Children:

i. ERASTUS NOBLE,[7] b. 6 Nov., 1811; unm.
ii. HOMER, b. 10 Oct., 1813; m.; no children.
iii. JULIA ANN, b. 25 May, 1815.
iv. MARIA, } d. before 1828.
v. GEORGE, }
vi. FANNY, b. 8 July, 1823.
vii. HARRIET M., b. 15 June, 1825.
viii. EMILY B., b. 15 March, 1829.

## 106.

JACOB[6] (*Jacob*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 17 Aug., 1746; removed to Hollis, N. H.; "enlisted in Capt. J. Stickney's co. and served at Bunker Hill"; enlisted June 28, 1780, and "served 6 months in Continental Army." Mustered by Maj. Wm. Scott. [N. H. Rev. Rolls].

He married 13 Jan., 1768, Anna, daughter of John and Rebecca Connella, born at Woburn.

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Children:

i. JACOB,[7] b. 20 March, 1769.
ii. TIMOTHY, b. 2 June, 1771.
iii. ANNA, b. 9 March, 1773.

JACOB, Hollis (also given Wilmington). Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 25, 1775; service, 3 mos. 14 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, Muster Master for Suffolk Co., dated Boston, April 27, 1777; Capt. Bancroft's co., Col. Jackson's regt.; term, 3 years; *also*, Private, Capt. Ebenezer Cleavland's co., Col. Michael Jackson's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 15, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence, Hollis (also given Wilmington); credited to town of Wilmington; *also*, Major's co., Col. Michael Jackson's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Feb. 12, 1780. [See also Appendix.]

## 107.

JESSE[6] (*Jacob*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 26 May, 1748; married 9 Feb., 1769, Hulda Hosmer. Served at Bunker Hill* in company with his brother Jacob.

* JESSE (also given JEZANIAH), Billerica (also given Templeton). Capt. Solomon Pollard's (Billerica) co.; list of men in camp at Cambridge dated May 1, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 mos. 7 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, return of men engaged for Continental service from Capt. Edward Farmer's co., 7th Middlesex Co. regt., dated Feb. 16, 1778; residence, Billerica; engaged for town of Billerica; joined Capt. Danforth's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; term, during war; *also*, Private, 7th co., Col. Thomas Nixon's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from April 7, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, Capt. Elijah Danforth's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; return of men in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777, certified in Camp near Peekskill, Feb. 16, 1779; *also*, Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's co., Col. Thomas Nixon's (5th) regt.; muster roll for May, 1779, dated Highlands; reported tending the sick in general hospital; *also*, Lieut. Col. Smith's co., 6th regt.; return for bounty due men who enlisted to serve during the war prior to Jan. 1, 1779, dated Highlands, Aug. 7, 1779; *also*, receipt for money signed by said Danforth, dated Camp Bedford, Sept. 29, 1779; *also*, Private, Lieut. Col. Smith's co., Col. Nixon's (6th) regt.; pay abstracts for Aug.–Oct., 1779; *also*, Lieut. Col. Daniel Whiting's co., Col. Nixon's (6th) regt.; pay abstracts for Nov. and Dec., 1779, dated Soldier's fortune; *also*, Lieut. Colonel's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; return for clothing for the year 1780, dated Peekskill, Dec. 5, 1779; also, Lieut. Colonel's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; reported invalided; *also*, Capt. Abel Holden's (Light Infantry) co., 6th regt.; receipt for clothing dated July 8, 1780; *also*, Lieut. Col. Daniel Whiting's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; pay abstracts for Jan.–Sept., 1780; *also*, Capt. Moses McFarland's

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DAVID[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 26 Nov., 1752; died 4 July, 1827; married Elizabeth Pierce, of Hillsboro, N. H. (sister of Gov. Benjamin Pierce, the father of President Franklin Pierce), she died 6 July, 1817.

He was a farmer and blacksmith. Resided first at Chelmsford, where his children were born; then removed to Amherst, N. H., before 1788, and carried on a farm at the place called Danforth's Corners, where there is now a railroad station. In 1795 he bought the tavern there. Was a member of the board of selectmen.

DAVID, Chelmsford. Private, Capt. Oliver Barron's co., Col. David Greene's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days; *also*, Capt. John Ford's co. of volunteers, Col. Jonathan Reed's regt.; enlisted Sept. 27, 1777; discharged Nov. 8, 1777; service, 43 days; company marched Sept. 30, 1777, to reinforce Northern army.

Children:

226. i. JESSE,[7] b. at Chelmsford, 27 Aug., 1776.
227. ii. TIMOTHY, b. 2 April, 1778.
228. iii. BENJAMIN PIERCE, b. 22 Feb., 1780.
iv. ELIZABETH, b. 21 Feb., 1782.
228*a*. v. DAVID, b. 11 May, 1784.
vi. SUSAN, m. Eugene Hutchinson, of Milford, N. H.

Children of Eugene and Susan (Danforth) Hutchinson:

1. *Eugene Hutchinson.*
2. *Susan Hutchinson.*
3. *Eliza Hutchinson.*

vii. REBECCA, m. Benjamin Kendrick.

Children of Benjamin and Rebecca (Danforth) Kendrick:

1. *John Kendrick*, d. young.
1. *John Kendrick*, m. Clara Bussey.
3. *Benjamin Kendrick*, m. Mary Gilson.
4. *Sophia Kendrick*, m. George Cushing, of Brooklyn, N. Y.
5. *Rufus Kendrick*, m. Nancy Farnham.
6. *Frank Kendrick*, d. young.
7. *Rachel Antoinette Kendrick*, m. (1) Benjamin Franklin Danforth; m. (2) M. Noyes.
8. *Sarah P. Kendrick*, b. in Amherst, N. H., 1830; m. (1) 26 Oct., 1849, Willard Danforth, b. at Waltham in 1827;

corps of invalids stationed at Boston; pay abstracts for Oct.–Dec., 1780; *also*, descriptive list of enlisted men dated Jan. 11, 1781; Lieut. Col. Whiting's (also given Capt. Pike's) co., Col. Thomas Nixon's regt.; age, 32 (also given 31) yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, light; hair, light; occupation, cabinet maker: residence, Billerica; enlisted in 1777, by Capt. Danforth; enlistment, during war; reported transferred to corps of invalids at Boston Jan. 1, 1781.

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d. at Amherst, N. H., 28 March, 1859; she m. (2) Dr. Emery Clark.

9. *Henry Kendrick*, m. Sarah L. Plummer.

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SOLOMON[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*[3], *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 12 Jan. 1756; died at Merrimack, N. H., 31 May, 1833; married 29 March, 1781, Sarah Cummings, born 28 July, 1764, she died 9 Jan., 1842.

He was a private in Lieut. Benj. Bower's Co., that marched from Merrimack to Ticonderoga, June 30, 1777; and in Capt. James Ford's Co., of Moses Nicholas's regt., raised for more permanent service 20 July, 1777. [N. H. Rev. Rolls.]

Children:

229. i. SOLOMON,[7] b. 27 March, 1782.

ii. SARAH, b. 20 March, 1784; d. at Merrimack, N. H., 26 July, 1860; m. 13 Sept., 1803, Daniel Chandler, of Merrimack b. 4, March, 1777, d. 25 March, 1849.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Danforth) Chandler:

1. *Fanny Chandler*, b. at Merrimack, 15 Dec., 1803; d. at Haverhill, 26 Nov., 1848.
2. *Susan Osgood Chandler*, b. 11 Sept., 1805; d. at Ashburnham, 24 Aug., 1877.
3. *Solomon D. Chandler*, b. 29 July, 1807; d. at Portland, Me., 29 April, 1854.
4. *Abigail B. Chandler*, b. 18 Feb., 1809; m. 7 July, 1836, at Lowell, Charles Follansbee.
5. *Richard B. Chandler*, b. 16 May, 1811; d. at Lowell, 23 Aug., 1835.
6. *Eliza Ann Chandler*, b. 22 July, 1813; d. 7 Jan., 1835.
7. [*Myrta*] *Chandler*, b. 31 Aug., 1815.
8. *Daniel Hiram Chandler*, b. 17 April, 1818; m. 19 Dec., 1841, Mary Ann Moulton.
9. *Leafy D. Chandler*, b. 24 March, 1820; d. 14 July, 1845.
10. *Samuel Chandler*, b. 7 May, 1822; d. at Nashua, N. H., 15 Dec., 1851.
11. *Susan W. Chandler*, b. 3 July, 1824.
12. *Laura J. Chandler*, b. 7 Jan., 1827.

230. iii. SIMEON CUMMINGS, b. 31 March, 1786.

iv. MARY, b. 17 Sept., 1788; d. at Merrimack, 23 Nov., 1860; m. 23 Dec., 1813, Wm. McCluer, b. 9 July, 1786, d. 12 April, 1876.

Children of William and Mary (Danforth) McCluer:

1. *Charles E. McCluer*, b. 27 Oct., 1814; m. Lucinda Shattuck.

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2. *Rufus McCluer*, b. 6 Feb., 1817; d. 24 Jan., 1818.
3. *Mary McCluer*, b. 7 Jan., 1819.
4. *Newton McCluer*, b. 7 Jan., 1823; m. Hepzibah C. Swain.
5. *George McCluer*, b. 26 June, 1826; m. Nancy W. Stinson.

231. v. RUFUS, b. 25 Feb., 1791.

vi. LEPHE [RELIEF], b. 21 March, 1793; d. unm., 19 Sept., 1814.

vii. JOANNA, b. 21 March, 1793, twin with preceding; d. at Haverhill, Mass., 21 Sept., 1851; m. 13 Oct., 1811, Caleb Woodward, of Haverhill, b. 14 Jan., 1792, d. 28 July, 1877.

Children of Caleb and Joanna (Danforth) Woodward:

1. *Mary Ann Woodward*, b. 1814, d. 25 Nov., 1871; m. James A. Bartlett; he d. 27 Aug., 1864.
2. *Eliza Woodward*, b. 30 Jan., 1824.
3. *Charles D. Woodward*, b. 19 Aug., 1826; m. 26 Oct., 1851, Melissa Chase, b. 20 Dec., 1832.
4. *George W. Woodward*, b. 16 Oct., 1828.

viii. ASENATH, b. 18 Feb., 1796; d. 3 May, 1858; m. 27 Dec., 1817, Oliver, son of Oliver and Abigail (Nourse) Spaulding, b. 23 May, 1791, d. 30 Aug., 1875.

Children of Oliver and Asenath (Danforth) Spaulding:

1. *Abigail Nourse Spaulding*, b. 15 Dec, 1819; m. 1 Sept., 1846, Wm. J. Parker, b. 10 Nov., 1822.
2. *John Lund Spaulding*, b. 19 Jan., 1821; d. 24 Dec., 1883; m. 16 March, 1846, Sarah Sawin Barrett Bowers, b. 4 July, 1820.
3. *Hosea Ballou Spaulding*, b. 22 Oct., 1824; m. 10 June, 1847, Dorcas Marshall, b. at Tunbridge, Vt., 5 Dec., 1820; res. Nashua, N. H.
4. *Oliver Perry Spaulding*, b. 11 Jan., 1828; d. young.

ix. HANNAH, b. 20 July, 1798; d. 29 Sept., 1868; m. 2 Dec., 1821, Hermon, son of John and Rhoda (Shed) Rogers, b. at Billerica, 26 June, 1792; rem. to Amesbury, where he d. 17 Oct., 1878.

Children of Hermon and Hannah (Danforth) Rogers:

1. *Hannah Prince Rogers*, b. 18 Dec., 1822; m. 1 June, 1847, Samuel S. Blodgett, of Amesbury.
2. *Francis Danforth Rogers*, b. 7 Jan., 1826; res. Nashua, N. H.
3. *John Frederick Rogers*, b. 29 Nov., 1829; a merchant in Boston (Sheldon and Rogers); d. 19 Sept., 1896; m. (1) Amanda L. Sheldon; m. (2) Frances L. Emery.

x. DORCAS, b. 23 July, 1801; d. 2 June, 1832; m. 26 Aug., 1824, Nathan Parker, of Merrimack.

Children of Nathan and Dorcas (Danforth) Parker:

1. *Sophronia Parker*, b. 24 Dec., 1827; m. 6 April, 1854,

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John Huntington, of Francestown, N. H.; she d. 19 Oct., 1901. Ch.:

E. P. Huntington, res. Nashua, N. H.

2. *Mary Danforth Parker*, b. 12 Nov., 1829; m. Charles E. Merrill; d. 31 May, 1901. Res. Nashua, N. H.

xi. SOPHIA, b. 7 June, 1803; d. 16 Sept., 1842; m. 6 May, 1821 (his second wife) Ephraim Elliot Lake, b. Haverhill, 5 Sept., 1790, d. 14 Sept., 1862.

Children of Ephraim E. and Sophia (Danforth) Lake:

1. *Edwin Hill Lake*, b. 5 Oct., 1822; m. 12 March, 1824, Jane, dau. of Abel Abbot of Stoughton, b. 12 March, 1824, d. Sept., 1863. He was a Universalist minister; went South before the War; d. at Richmond, Va., 22 Sept., 1862.
2. *Joseph Henry Lake*, b. 14 July, 1824; d. 3 Jan., 1897; m. Jane Maria McCrillis, of Skowhegan, Me.
3. *Samuel Lake*, b. 1826, d. 1827.
4. *George Woodward Lake*, b. 8 April, 1828; d. in Boston, 18 Feb., 1896; m. (1) Hilda ——; m. (2) Alice Eliza Hawkins.
5. *Sarah Lake*, b. 16 May, 1832; d. 1834.

Two other children d. in infancy.

xii. SOPHRONIA, b. 10 May, 1807; d. 28 Dec., 1880; m. 24 Jan., 1833, Walter Reed, of Merrimack, b. 1 April [1807], d. 26 Aug., 1881.

Children of Walter and Sophronia (Danforth) Reed:

1. *Walter S. Reed*, b. 28 Dec., 1834; m. 9 July, 1859, Amanda B. Clough, b. 6 Dec., 1843.
2. *Mary A. Reed*, b. 1837, d. 1838.
3. *Eliza A. Reed*, b. 14 June, 1840; m. 20 Nov., 1866, James L. Burgess, b. Brookline, N. H., 30 Dec., 1838.
4. *Charles Reed*, b. 20 Nov., 1843.
5. *Harriet Reed*, b. 4 April, 1847; m. Henry A. Lawrence, b. 21 July, 1845.

## 110.

CAPT. WILLIAM[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 31 July, 1757; died at Londonderry, N. H., 21 July, 1804; married first, 10 Nov., 1779, Lucy, daughter of Edward and Abigail (Prince) Pollard, born in Billerica, 18 June, 1761; died at Derry, N. H., 25 Dec., 1801. He married second, 9 May, 1802, Sarah Smith, who survived him and married second, 20 Jan., 1807, Walter Cheney. "He was in Bunker Hill" *

* WILLIAM, Billerica. Drummer, Capt. John Harnden's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridges' (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos., 8 days; *also*, company return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, order for bounty coat or its

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battle; was wounded in the shoulder; continued in service till Dec. following. He was a blacksmith; resided in Londonderry, N. H. With wife Sarah sold half the homestead of Andrew Smith, late of Ipswich, 10 Sept., 1802.

The inventory of the estate of Capt. William Danforth, late of Londonderry, was taken 20 and 24 Aug., 1804, on petition of his daughter Lucy. The oldest son, Simeon, took the real estate at the appraisal, promising to pay certain sums to the other heirs, viz.: Lucy, Patty, Orpha, Abigail, Sally Pollard and William, and Moody Morse was appointed guardian to all these except Lucy. The widow's dower was set off in December.

Children:

i. LUCY,[7] b. 16 Oct., 1780; d. at Salem, N. H., 1860; m. (1) 20 Jan., 1807, Daniel Warner, of Derry; m. (2) Joseph Gregg, b. 22 July, 1779, d. 14 Dec., 1853. Ch. Lucy D. Gregg, d. 16 Feb., 1816, unm.

232. ii. SIMEON, b. 2 Dec., 1783.

iii. PATTY, b. 26 April, 1785; died at Derry, 1812; m. Joshua Clark, a farmer, of Derry.

Child of Joshua and Patty (Danforth) Clark:

*William Danforth Clark*, b. 8 July, 1810; d. 14 Dec., 1882; m. in 1830, Almira E. Dodge, b. 27 Nov., 1814; 12 children, 11 of whom married.

iv. ORPHA, b. 2 Jan., 1789; m. 18 March, 1815, Oliver Lund, of Dunstable.

v. ABIGAIL PRINCE, b. 25 March, 1791; m. (1) 23 April, 1812, David Reed, of Bedford, b. 19 May, 1787; m. (2) Christopher Page, of Boxboro.

equivalent in money dated Dec. 28, 1775; *also*, list of men who received money from the public treasury for losses at battles of Lexington and Bunker Hill; amounts allowed in Council, June 13, 1776; *also*, Corporal, Capt. John Minot's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; arrived at Rhode Island May 10, 1777; discharged July 9, 1777; service, 2 mos., 8 days, travel included; roll dated Warwick Neck; *also*, private, Capt. Edward Farmer's co., Col. Jonathan Reed's regt.; enlisted Sept. 29, 1777; discharged Nov. 8, 1777; service, 41 days; company marched to reinforce Northern army; *also*, Capt. Edward Farmer's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; enlisted Feb. 20, 1778; service to May 20, 1778, 3 mos. at Bunker Hill; *also*, Capt. Joseph Bradley Varnum's co., Col. McIntosh's regt., Gen. Lovel's brigade; engaged July 29, 1778; discharged Sept. 11, 1778; service, 1 mo., 18 days, travel included, on expedition to Rhode Island; company detached to join Continental Army; roll dated Dracut; *also*, Capt. Moses Barnes's co., Lieut. Col. Samuel Peirce's regt.; enlisted May 17, 1779; service to July 1, 1779, 1 mo., 14 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment, 2 months; *also*, Capt. Solomon Pollard's co., Col. Samuel Denny's regt.; enlisted Oct. 23, 1779; discharged Dec. 4, 1779; service, 1 mo., 12 days, travel included; company detached to march to Claverack and join the Continental Army for 3 months; *also*, Capt. Amos Foster's co., Col. Cyprian How's regt.; enlisted July 28, 1780; discharged Oct. 30, 1780; service, 3 mos., 8 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; company detached from 7th Middlesex Co. regt. to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

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Children of David and Abigail P. (Danforth) Reed:

1. *Abigail Reed*, b. 6 Feb., 1813.
2. *Hannah Raymond Reed*, b. 14 Jan., 1823.

vi. SARAH (SALLY) POLLARD, b. 1 Dec., 1795; m. (1) April, 1817, William Reed, of Bedford; m. (2) Eliab B. Lane, of Bedford, b. 21 June, 1780; d. 9 Jan., 1853.

Children of William and Sarah P. (Danforth) Reed:

1. *William Danforth Reed*, b. 16 Dec., 1817.
2. *David Reed*, b. 18 June, 1819.
3. *Lucy Pollard Reed*, b. 25 Nov., 1821; m. —— Hartwell.

vii. MARY, m. —— Clark; ch. William Danforth Clark.

233. viii. WILLIAM, b. 7 Feb., 1799.

## 111.

ASA[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 15 Dec., 1759; married 14 March, 1781, Abigail, daughter of Edward and Abigail (Prince) Pollard, born 1 Sept., 1757. Residence Billerica.

He enlisted* in Col. Wm. Prescott's regt. and was in the battle of Bunker Hill, as were his cousins Jacob and Jesse and other relatives.

The widow Abigail died about 1783; administration of her estate was granted 10 June, 1783, to Ephraim Hayward (signature); consent was given 4 March, 1783-4, by her daughter Abigail, wife of Abel Fox, of Billerica; the latter died at about the same time and both estates were appraised the same day and reported upon the same paper. Asa and Francis, "sons of Asa and Abigail Danforth, deceased," requested the appointment of Jonas Gleason as their guardian, May 29, 1800.

Children:

i. ASA,[7] b. in Billerica, 24 Aug., 1781; living in 1800.

ii. FRANCIS, b. in Billerica, 15 June, 1783; d. 31 Oct., 1806; m. Abigail —, who survived him and m. (2) Jonas Gleason; on the death of her son, Francis Danforth, Jr., administration was granted 14 Nov., 1806, to Jonathan P. Pollard, the mother waiving her right.

## 112.

CAPT. JACOB[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 27 Feb., 1766; died at Amherst, N. H.,

* ASA, Billerica. Private, Capt. Joseph Moor's co., Col. William Prescott's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 28, 1775; service, 3 mos. 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Cambridge, Dec. 29, 1775.

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15 Nov., 1851; married first, 16 April, 1787, Mehetabel Lovekin, born in 1767, died 24 Feb., 1804. He married second, Rebecca Fassett, born in 1778, died 2 Oct., 1810; and he married third, Mrs. Lydia (Farrar) Adams. He settled in Jaffrey, N. H.; his house was destroyed by fire in 1816, and he removed to Amherst.

Children:

i. OLIVER,[7] b. at Chelmsford, 22 June, 1788; unm.
ii. WILLIAM, b. 10 Aug., 1790; d. 14 June, 1836; was a stage driver; removed to Groton, Mass.
iii. KIMBALL, b. 14 April, 1792; bought land in Groton in 1819; m. Triphena F. ——, who signed a deed of land with him in 1825.

Child:

*Martha T.*,[8] "married Amasa E. Sanderson, a native of Littleton, N. H."

iv. POLLY, b. 16 Dec., 1794; d. 28 July, 1795.
v. EMILY, b. 11 Nov., 1795; m. 4 Dec., 1821, John Chase, of Groton.
234. vi. DAVID, b. 15 Aug., 1798.
vii. ORPHA, b. 31 Oct., 1800; unm.
235. viii. GEORGE, b. 30 April, 1807.
ix. MARY ANN, b. in 1808.
x. JACOB, b. in 1810; d. 17 July, 1839.

## 113.

JOHN[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 27 Oct., 1768; died in March, 1813; married Elizabeth, daughter of Col. Wm. Gregg, "of Revolutionary fame," born in June, 1756, died 6 June, 1810. He settled in Dorchester, N. H.

Children:

i. DAVID,[7] b. 24 June, 1790.
ii. FANNY, b. at Londonderry, N. H., 12 March, 1792; m. 15 March, 1816, William Ball, b. Hebron, N. H., 23 Aug., 1792; d. in Grand Rapids, Mich., 17 Oct., 1871; she d. there 26 Aug., 1881.

Children of William and Fanny (Danforth) Ball:

1. *Eben Morris Ball*, b. at Hebron, 1 April, 1817; d. 30 Jan., 1892; m. 25 Sept., 1879, Sarah M., dau. of David and Sophia (Dickinson) Stillson.
2. *Betsey Ann Ball*, b. 4 July, 1821; d. 23 Oct., 1823.
3. *Rev. Jasper Newton Ball*, b. 19 April, 1826; d. 6 June, 1870; m. (1) July, 1853, Caroline Ward Smith, b. Chatham, N. H., 18 Feb., 1831, d. Oconto, Wis., 13 Dec., 1863; he m. (2) 2 Oct.. 1865, Martha Haines. He grad. Dart. Coll. 1849; ord. and went as mis-

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sionary to Turkey in 1853; served at Caesarea and Yozgat; ret. to this country on account of wife's failing health and here continued his ministerial labors.

Children:

(1) Fanny Danforth Ball, b. at Caesarea 29 Oct., 1857.

(2) Louisa Jewett Ball, b. at Yozgat 10 Dec., 1858.

(3) Carrie Josephine Ball, b. at Adrianople 30 Aug., 1866; m. Franklin Edwards.

(4) William Dearborn Ball, b. at Adrianople 6 Feb., 1868, an electrical engineer, Chicago, Ill.

iii. ELIZABETH NESMITH, b. in Londonderry, 20 Oct., 1793; d. 9 March, 1859; m. 9 April, 1819, Azel Washburn, b. at Lyme, N. H., 28 Sept., 1791; d. at Elyria, O., 3 Dec., 1867; son of Lebbeus and Mary (Sloane) Washburn; was a farmer, "intellectual and scholarly."

Children of Azel and Elizabeth N. (Danforth) Washburn:

1. *Azel Danforth Washburn*, b. Hanover, N. H., 31 May, 1820; d. at Camden, O., 10 Feb., 1842.

2. *Hon. George Gregg Washburn*, b. Orange, N. H., 24 Nov., 1821; d. Elyria, O., June, 1898; m. (1) 16 Feb., 1844, L. Melissa Hill, b. Clarkson, N. Y., 17 Feb., 1823, d. 12 Aug., 1855; m. (2) in 1856, Mrs. Sarah N. Oatman. Grad. Oberlin Coll.; studied law; was editor and propr. of Elyria Courier 42 years; sec. of military committee during the war; one of the founders and 6 years one of the managers of the Ohio State Reformatory.

Children:

(1) Celia Georgiana Washburn, b. 18 July, 1848; m. 18 Aug, 1875, H. L. Lathrop.

(2) Alice Eva Washburn, b. 22 Oct., 1852; m. 30 April, 1879, John Martin Vincent; she d. 21 Aug.. 1888.

3. *Frederick Smith Washburn*, b. at Orange, N. H., 21 June, 1823; d. at Waterloo, Ia., 16 June, 1863; m. 12 Aug., 1846, Harriet, dau. of Samuel and Laura B. (Kellogg) Spofford, b. at Ferrisburg, Vt., 12 March, 1825. He enlisted in the 9th Iowa V. I.; was chosen captain; commanded the regiment at the storming of Vicksburg and was mortally wounded; was brevetted brigadier general for conspicuous bravery, but died at his home in Iowa within a month.

Children:

(1) Florence Edwina Washburn, b. at Camden, O., 25 July, 1848.

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(2) William Elgin Washburn, b, 27 Sept., 1851.
(3), (4) and (5) died young.
(6) Frederick Francis, b. 11 Oct., 1861.

4. *Frances Elizabeth Washburn*, b. 27 April, 1827; d. 31 May, 1852.

iv. MARY GREGG, b. 28 Nov., 1795.

v. WILLIAM, b. 23 May, 1798.

vi. JOANNA REED, b. 10 March, 1800; d. 24 Jan., 1891; m. at Grafton, N. H., 24 Jan., 1825, Josiah Rhoades Holden, b. 22 Feb., 1797, d. at Grand Rapids, Mich., 18 March, 1887.

Mrs. Holden was a member of the Michigan Equal Suffrage Association, an active helper in the Congregational church, an ardent advocate of total abstinence from all intoxicants; maintained an extensive correspondence and had a wide influence for good; retained her faculties to the last of her long life. She was buried beside her husband at Grand Rapids, after services at the house of her son, Eben G. D. Holden.

Children:

1. *Josiah Danforth Holden*, b. in Boston, 20 Dec., 1825; d. at Kirkland, O.. 13 Sept., 1832.
2. *William Wallace Holden*, b. 12 Oct., 1827; d. 23 April, 1872; m. (1) Angeline Yeomans, who d. 1 Nov., 1867; m. (2) Jane H., dau. of Nathaniel and Eunice Davenport, b. at Dryden, N. Y., 25 Nov., 1836.
3. *John Quincy Adams Holden*, b. at Groton, N. H., 25 Aug., 1829; d. at Kirkland, 11 Sept., 1832.
4. *Charles Henry Holden*, b. 18 April, 1832; m. 9 Feb., 1859, Fannie, dau. of Horatio and Elizabeth Brooks, of Grand Rapids. Mich. Studied law; was elected district attorney of Grand Traverse and adjacent counties; entered the service in the war of the Rebellion, as 1st lieut. of Co. A, 26th Mich. V. I.; had a position in the Treasury Dept. after the war; was elected president of the Washington city Council in 1870. Removed to Grand Rapids in 1878. Since the death of the parents resided in Seattle, Wash., until recently; now (1902) in Florence, Wash.
5. *Eben. Gregg Danforth Holden*, b. at Kirkland, O., 18 Feb., 1834; m. 24 Aug., 1858, Melissa Eliza Smith, b. at Marion, N. Y., 7 Dec., 1822. Resides at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Children:

(1) Charles Holden, b. 7 Feb., 1860; m. 22 Sept., 1891, Frances Cooke.
(2) Henry Smith Holden. b. 24 June, 1861; m. Annie Finkler.
(3) Mary Helen Holden, b. 10 May, 1866; m. Willis B. Perkins.

Four other children died very young.

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6. *Frances Louisa Holden*, b. 19 Jan., 1838; m. (1) 5 Nov., 1856, E. H. Lockwood; he d. in the Western gold fields in 1859. She m. (2) 16 Sept., 1868, Smith W. Fowler, b. at Fly Creek, Otsego Co., N. Y., 5 April, 1829, a lawyer, editor and publisher, of Manistee, Mich. She studied at Albion Seminary; learned the printer's art and did much work in several newspaper offices, notably the N. W. Christian Advocate, and the Reconstructionist.

Child of E. H. and Frances L. (Holden) Lockwood:

Leon Ellsworth Lockwood, b. 4 March, 1858; m. in Dec., 1883, Grace Vaughan. Res. St. Louis, Mo.

Children of Smith W. and Frances L. (Holden) (Lockwood) Fowler:

(1) Frank Lincoln Fowler, b. 5 April, 1870; grad. Univ. of Mich.; m. 2 Jan., 1895, Stella R. Randolph.

(2) Angeline Holden Fowler, b. 5 Dec., 1872.

(3) Smith William Fowler, b. 4 July, 1875; d. 10 April, 1885.

vii. JOHN, b. at Londonderry, N. H., 26 Sept., 1802.

viii. EBENEZER GREGG, b. 5 Sept., 1805; d. at Terre Haute, Ind., about 1848.

## 114.

SAMUEL[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]),* was born about 1772 [or 1781]; died 1839 [or 1840]; married 19 June, 1800, Phebe, daughter of Beriah and Tabitha (Fosket) Oakes, born in Bolton, 23 Dec., 1779; died 11 Oct., 1848.

He resided in Stow, where he bought and sold various tracts of land, 1826–1830, his wife Phebe signing some deeds with him. [Middlesex Deeds.]

Children:

i. TABITHA,[7] b. 14 Nov., 1800; d. 11 Jan., 1885; m. 27 April, 1826, Bryant Davoll, of Leominster, b. 3 April, 1802, d. 19 Dec., 1868.

Children of Bryant and Tabitha (Danforth) Davoll:

1. *George Davoll*, b. 24 Sept., 1828.
2. *Elmira Davoll*, b. 1 Jan., 1834.
3. *Hollis Davoll*, b. 1 Nov., 1840; m. 23 April, 1866, Frances Crocker, b. 20 April, 1841.

* The compiler received this pedigree from the family, but has not been able to verify it by public records.

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ii. PHEBE, b. 5 Jan., 1803; m. 12 April, 1830, Elijah Flagg Taylor.

Children of Elijah F. and Phebe (Danforth) Taylor:

1. *Charles Hollis Taylor*, b. in Marlboro, 24 Jan., 1831; m. 20 Aug., 1857, Elvira M., dau. of Abel and Charlotte Wilson; res. Ashburnham.
2. *Horatio Foster Taylor*, b. in Bolton, 1 May, 1837; d. Fort Collins, Colo., 22 Feb., 1878; m. 10 Jan., 1862, Matilda C., dau. of Ira and Polly Taft; W. Bridgewater, Vt.
3. *Caroline Rebecca Thompson Taylor*, b. 20 June, 1839; m. 19 Nov., 1861, Geo. A. Cozzens (son of Joseph and Sarah) of Leominster.

236. iii. OCTA, b. Sept., 1809.

iv. EUNICE, b. 4 Jan., 1811; d. 6 Sept., 1871; m. Dexter Russell; resided in Richland, Wis.

v. CLARISSA, b. 16 Jan., 1813; m. 6 July, 1834, Jacob Flavel Moore, b. 1 Nov., 1810, d. 5 June, 1852; buried in Bolton.

Children of Jacob F. and Clarissa (Danforth) Moore:

1. *Horace Haven Moore*, b. 5 June, 1835; d. in Lowell, 21 June, 1854.
2. *Lewis Moore*, b. 7 Oct., 1836; removed to Chile, So. America, and married there, in 1860, Martina, dau. of Manuel Bravo de los Reyes, lieut.-gen. in the Chilian war of Independence. Mr. Moore served as engineer in the Chilian navy in 1866 and 1878; perished in the wreck of his ship in the bay of Valparaiso in 1881. His residence was at Paradones, province of Curico.

   Children of Lewis and Maritana (Reyes) Moore:

   (1) Aurelia Moore, b. 1862.
   (2) Luis Moore, b. 1863; d. of illness contracted in war with Peru in 1879.
   (3) Victor Manuel Lewis, b. 1864. An officer and writer of distinction.
   (4) Edwardo Moore, b. 1866; m. 1892, Elvira Montero. A highly educated and distinguished surgeon and writer, of international repute. Came to the United States as a representative of his government to study the medical department of our army in 1899, and visited Boston to see Mr. May, with whom he had already corresponded about his ancestry.
   (5) Julie Moore, b. 1867, d. 1878.
3. *John F. Moore*, b. 15 Aug., 1838; m. 3 Nov., 1861, Martha Jane, dau. of John and Lucinda Eastman, of Richmond, Me.

vi. FOSKET, b. 4 March, 1815; d. 1870; m. Sarah E. Pratt, of Harvard.

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Child:

*Sarah Phebe*,[8] b. 24 Nov., 1850; m. 27 Sept., 1871, Leonard Marshall Harris, b. 30 Oct., 1850.

Children:

(1) Mabel Florence Harris, b. 12 April, 1873.
(2) Sarah Edith Harris, b. 28 June, 1875.
(3) Arthur Morton Harris, b. 8 Feb., 1878.

237. vii. HOLLIS, b. 11 May, 1818.
238. viii. DANIEL, b. 28 Feb., 1822.

## 116.

SAMUEL[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 11 May, 1759; resided in Fitchburg with his father some time; a Revolutionary soldier.* The age, "26" of one record, may be clerical error for 20. Received a pension of $96 per annum 1821–1834. Died at Saratoga Springs, 15 April, 1838; married 17 Aug., 1780, Sarah Ingraham. [Information chiefly from Dr. B. L. Hovey, of Rochester, N. Y., husband of a granddaughter, Permelia, dau. of Jonathan.]

Children (order uncertain):

239. i. JONATHAN,[7] b. at Saratoga, N. Y., 25 Dec., 1781.
ii. ABRAM. "Lived in Boston; a merchant; died unm. on return voyage from East Indies."
240. iii. REUBEN.
iv. FRANCIS.

* SAMUEL. Capt. William Wyman's co., Col. John Paterson's (26th) regt.; order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Dec. 16, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. John Joslin's co., Col. Job Cushing's (Worcester Co.) regt.; service, 1 mo. 7 days, travel included; company marched from Leominster the last of July, 1777, to join Col. Seth Warner at Bennington; *also*, Capt. William Thurlo's co.; service, 25 days under Maj. Ebenezer Bridge at Saratogo, agreeable to resolve of Sept. 22, 1777; roll sworn to in Worcester Co.

SAMUEL. List of 9 months men mustered by Thomas Newhall, Muster Master for Worcester Co.; Capt. Inglesbe's (Ingoldsby's) co., Col. Cushing's regt.; engaged for town of Shrewsbury; mustered July 12, 1779; *also*, Private, Capt. John Spurr's co., Col. Thomas Nixon's (6th) regt.; pay rolls for Aug.–Nov., 1779.

SAMUEL (DANFORD), Fitchburg, Private Capt. William Wyman's co., Col. John Paterson's regt.; muster roll dated Aug, 1, 1775; enlisted May 24, 1775; service 2 months, 12 days; *also* co. return [probably October, 1775.]

SAMUEL (DANFORT). Descriptive list of men raised to serve in Continental Army, as returned by Seth Washburn, superintendent for Worcester county; Capt Inglessbe's (Ingoldsby) co., Col. Cushing's regt.; age 26 years; stature 5 feet, 8 inches; complexion light; engaged for town of Shrewsbury; marched July 25, 1779; delivered to Ensign T. Clark.

(See also Revolutionary record of other Samuels.)

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v. PARMELIA, m. —— Gay; resided at Penn Yan; removed to Ohio, and there she died.
vi. HANNAH, m. ——— Peckham, of Saratoga; resided at Ballston Spa; a surviving son, George Peckham, lives there.
vii. JACOB.
viii. SUSAN.
ix. ELIZABETH, m. —— Marcy.
x. JOSHUA.
xi. EBENEZER.
xii. JAMES.
xiii. ISAAC.

## 117.

JAMES[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 28 Dec., 1760; married Hannah, daughter of William and Abigail (Stone) Reed, of Lexington, born 8 Oct., 1758. She survived her husband, and married second, Thomas Loring, Sen. He "was a sea-captain"; "went to Hartland, Vt."

Children:

241. i. OLIVER,[7] b. 3 Dec., 1783.
242. ii. ELIAS, b. 13 Jan., 1788.
iii. HANNAH, b. 1792; d. 1811.
iv. REBECCA, m. Thomas Loring, Jr. Had children, Rebecca and Thomas Loring. Resided at Nashua, N. H.

JAMES, Fitchburg. Private, Capt. Peter Woodbury's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; enlisted October 11, 1778; discharged Nov. 9, 1778; service, 1 mo., at Cambridge; roll dated Lancaster; *also*, Capt. David Jewett's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; enlisted Nov. 10, 1778; discharged Dec. 12, 1778; service, 1 mo. 5 days, travel included, guarding troops of convention; roll certified at Lancaster; *also*, Capt. William Henry's co.; enlisted Oct. 3, 1779; discharged Nov. 10, 1779; service, 1 mo. 11 days, travel included, at Castle and Governor's Islands; company raised in Worcester Co.; *also*, Capt. Timothy Boutell's co., Col. John Rand's (Worcester Co.) regt.; enlisted July 20, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos. 1 day, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

## 118.

ISAAC[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born (date unknown); married 21 July, 1788, Rebekah Taylor, "both of Fitchburg." He was a farmer, tanner and currier; removed to North Hoosick, N. Y. Either he or No. 127 was the Revolutionary soldier mentioned in Mass. Archives thus:

ISAAC, Billerica. List of men raised in Middlesex Co. to serve in the Continental Army [year not given]; residence, Billerica; engaged for town of Billerica.

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Children:

243. i. NICHOLAS.[7]
244. ii. SIMON.
245. iii. AARON TAYLOR, b. 20 Nov., 1804.
iv. ISAAC, m. ——; dau. Marion m. —— Kenyon.
v. REBECCA, b. 26 June, 1793; m. 28 Sept., 1815, David Milliman, who was b. 31 Oct., 1789, and d. 19 Nov., 1873.

Children of David and Rebecca (Danforth) Milliman:

1. *Abel Danforth Milliman*, b. 3 Aug., 1817; d. 1 March, 1829.
2. *Rebecca Maria Milliman*, b. 26 Nov., 1820; m. —— Campbell; living in Oshkosh, Wis.
3. *Abigail (Abby) Milliman*, b. 5 April, 1826; m. —— Brownell.
4. *Lyman Milliman*, b. 10 Jan., 1828; d. 21 July, 1894.
5. *Charles H. Milliman*, b. 20 Nov., 1828; d. 10 May, 1899.
6. *Albert Milliman*, b. 26 March, 1831; d. 29 July, 1893; m. 16 March, 1859, Sylvia Alcock.

vi. POLLY.
vii. MERCY, d. in childhood.
246. viii. JACOB, b. 24 Dec., 1814.

## 119.

JACOB[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born about 1771; died 1 Nov., 1839; married Mary Johnson, granddaughter of "Count Bassanett, a French refugee."

He was a merchant residing at Augusta, Georgia.

Children:

i. NICHOLAS,[7] d. at 6 years of age.
ii. MARTHA ANN, b. 10 Feb., 1806; d. April, 1881; m. Alonzo B. Bigelow, a merchant in New York city.

Children of Alonzo B. and Martha Ann (Danforth) Bigelow:

1. *Jacob D. Bigelow*, d. at 18 years of age.
2. *John Bigelow*.
3. *Alonzo Bigelow*.
4. *William Bigelow*.
5. *Mary Bigelow*, b. 8 Nov., 1828.
6. *Caroline Bigelow*.

iii. SAMUEL, d. young.
247. iv. JAMES, b. 1809.
v. MARY, b. 13 Aug., 1812; m. (1) R. W. McKeen; m. (2) John M. Dow. Daughter, *Martha Ann McKeen*, b. 13 Oct., 1831; d. 10 Oct., 1857; m. I. L. Browning. Children: (1) Minnie Browning, b. 1849, d. 1850; (2) Ella Browning; b. 19 Jan., 1850, m. C. C. Caswell; (3) Catherine Browning, b. 1852, d.

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in infancy; (4) Belle Prince Browning, b. 10 May, 1854, m. Wolsey Collins.

248. vi. JACOB. b. 1814.

vii. ELIZABETH, b. 5 Aug., 1816; m. Benjamin Dart, of Bethel, Conn.; he died in 1867.

viii. LAURA C., b. 1818; m. I. Bridges, of Albany, N. Y. Children: Mary, Catherine, Earle, Gertrude, Barron, Mason, Auguste and John Bridges.

ix. SILLIMAN CAMPBELL, b. and d. in 1820.

x. CAROLINE WALKER, b. 21 Dec., 1821; m. (1) W. H. Gordon; m. (2) Gerald McLaughlin.

Children of W. H. and Caroline W. (Danforth) Gordon:

1. *James Gordon*; killed in the War.
2. *Jacob Gordon*, killed in the War.
3. *Maria Gordon.*

Children of Gerald and Caroline W. (Danforth) (Gordon) McLaughlin:

1. *Martha Ann McLaughlin*, m. T. C. Bligh; d. 1876.
2. *Charles J. McLaughlin*, b. July, 1854; m. Adela Force. Children: (1) Edith McLanghlin, b. 10 April, 1881; (2) Gerald McLaughlin, b. 14 May, 1883. He has been in the Custom House, N. Y. city.

## 120.

JOSEPH[6]* (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Fitchburg about 1805; "commanded his own ship on voyages between Portland, Me., and European ports."

## 121.

FRANCIS[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Fitchburg; died at Ballston Centre, about 1836; married Eunice Warren, of Chelmsford, born about 1773, died about 1821.

He resided successively at Rutland, Cohoes, Watervliet and Ballston, N. Y.

Children:

249. i. AZEL WARREN,[7] b. at Rutland, 4 July, 1793.

ii. POLLY, b. 1794; d. about 1847; m. Henry York, of Saratoga county, N. Y.

iii. DENCY, b. about 1801: m. Dea. W. J. York, of Saratoga Co.; rem. to Jefferson Co., N. Y.

iv. ELIZA, b. about 1804; m. Nelson Eckert, of Saratoga.

250. v. HENRY, b. 12 Dec., 1806.

* Joseph Danforth married in Boston, 10 April, 1823, Mary Jenkins. Is this No. 120?

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vi. HENRIETTA, twin of Henry, m. 8 July, 1830, Luzon Curtis, of Ballston.

Children of Luzon and Henrietta (Danforth) Curtis:

1. *Francis Danforth Curtis*, b. 15 May, 1831; d. 29 May, 1891; m. (1) 19 Oct., 1854, Elizabeth, dau. of Major Kirby, of Charlton, N. Y.; he m. (2) 8 May, 1875, Elvira Collins Smith, of Glenville. N. Y. He was a popular and "leading dairyman and Christian gentleman."
2. *Susan M. Curtis*, b. 18 Nov., 1832; m. James T. Sweetman, M. D., of Charlton, N. Y. Dau., Mrs. Thomas C. (Sweetman) Martin, and son James Sweetman, M. D.
3. *Andrew Jackson Curtis*, b. 18 Nov., 1834; m. ——— Crocker, of Schenectady, N. Y.; res. San Mateo, Fla.
4. *William Warren Curtis*, b. 8 May, 1844; a Presbyterian minister, at Belle Plaine, Kan.
5. *Edna A. Curtis*, b. 7 March, 1849; m. George R. Donnan, lawyer, Troy, N. Y.

vii. SUSANNA, b. about 1809; m. Josiah Brown, of Saratoga Co.; rem. to Battle Creek, Mich. She d. in 1871. Son Henry Brown, a prominent business man at Grand Rapids, Mich.

## 122.

SAMUEL[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hardwick, 9 March, 1771; died at Ithaca, N. Y., 17 Dec., 1824; married ———.

He resided at Rupert and Paulet, Vt., at Williamstown, Mass., and at Ithaca, N. Y.

Child:

250*a*. i. CHARLES,[7] b. 23 Aug., 1800; graduated Williams College, 1826; became a clergyman; labored chiefly as a missionary in Western states; d. at Oberlin, O., 1867.

ii. LYDIA PERMELIA, m. 25 July, 1825, Henry Seymour Nash (son of Pelatiah Bliss and Sally (Towner) Nash; b. 15 Oct., 1798). She d. in Oct., 1851.

Children of Henry S. and Lydia P. (Danforth) Nash:

1. *Mary Frances Nash*, b. 7 Oct., 1826; m. Alvin M. Tooley, of Poultney, N. Y.
2. *Lucy Alger Nash*, b. 27 Feb., 1831.
3. *Ellen Maria Nash*, b. 10 June, 1833.
4. *Charles Henry Nash*, b. 6 Dec., 1835; a Baptist minister; residence (1897) Barton, Fla.
5. *Albert Augustus Nash*, b. 16 April, 1838.
6. *Josepha Adeline Nash*, b. 6 Feb., 1841.
7. *Marion Permelia Nash* b. 8 March, 1843.
8. *George Harvey Nash*, b. 11 March, 1845; d. 5 Sept., 1851.

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iii. JONATHAN E., d. at Danbury, Conn.
iv. SAMUEL; lived in the South.
v. THOMAS; probably the man who d. at Coldwater, Miss., in 1874.
vi. SUSANNA.

## 123.

LYMAN[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born 22 Oct., 1788; died 13 June, 1811.
Removed to Pownal, Vt.

## 124.

CYRUS[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hardwick, 29 Sept., 1793; died at Oquaka, Ill., 20 July, 1847; married first 16 March, 1817, Hannah P., daughter of John and Hannah (Perry) Jenney, descendant of John Jenney, of Norwich, Eng., and our Plymouth. He married second, 1 July, 1838, Mary Ann Jones, born 1806, died at Winterset, Ia., 3 March, 1878. He was a millwright and carpenter; removed to Oquaka, Ill. His first wife, supposing him to have died in the West, married a second husband, Clark Stone, of Enfield, Mass., 30 Sept., 1858.

Children:

i. JOSEPH R.,[7] b. 19 July, 1818; d. 4 Sept. 1880; lived and died in Worcester.
ii. HANNAH, b. 19 Jan., 1821; m. 29 March, 1843, Walter Sibley, of Brookfield.
iii. MARY R., b. 16 Jan., 1823; m. Feb. 18, 1844, Chester Hubbard, of Templeton; they rem. to Keokuk, Ia., where he d. 29 June, 1861, æ. 45.
iv. GEORGE E., b. 3 Feb., 1825; rem. to California. [Hist. Hardwick.]
v. PAMELIA W., b. 15 Sept., 1827; m. 31 Dec., 1847, Benjamin Franklin, b. in Hardwick, 24 March, 1820; son of Benj. and Eliza (Clark, Webb) Paige; he was a trader and postmaster. Ch., Mary Pamela Paige, b. 28 Dec., 1852.
vi. WILLIAM R., b. 4 Feb., 1840.
251. vii. CHALLEN, b. 30 Jan., 1844.

## 125.

JAMES[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hardwick about 1796; married about 1830, Nancy R. Smith, of Barre.
Removed from Hardwick.

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126.

WILLIAM[6] (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3], *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hartland, Vt., 31 July, 1761; died in July, 1830, killed by the kick of a horse; married 29 Dec., 1781, Priscilla, daughter of Thomas and Mercy (Stone) Hoadley, born at Cambridge, Mass., 19 March, 1762.

He was a farmer; resided in Berkshire, Vt.

Children:

i. SALLY,[7] b. 20 March, 1783; d. in 1873; m. Reuben Chaffee.

ii. BETSEY, b. 3 Feb., 1785; d. at Byron, N. Y., in 1804; m. Isaac Brown, of Windsor, Vt.

iii. SUSAN, b. 7 Sept., 1786; d. in 1873; m. first, Zenas Higgins, shoemaker, Buffalo, N. Y.; m. second, John E. Wright, carpenter, of same place.

252. iv. WILLIAM, b. 10 July, 1788.

v. PRISCILLA, b. 28 Aug., 1790; d. in 1880; m. first, Comfort Chaffee, farmer, Berkshire, Vt.; m. second, John Chaffee, of same.

vi. WARREN, b. 5 March, 1792; d. in 1816; farmer; m. Eliz. Bronson.

vii. JOSEPH, b. 7 Feb., 1794; drowned 27 Aug., 1795.

viii. POLLY, b. 7 Dec., 1796; m. Mason Farwell, wheelwright, Byron, N. Y.

ix. LUCINDA, b. 20 Feb., 1798; d. 10 May, 1894, "æ. 96: 2: 20;" m. 18 Dec., 1818, James, son of John and Abigail (Root) Stone, of Haverhill, Mass., b. 22 July, 1796; d. 14 April, 1857. Mr. Stone was a millwright. They removed in 1846 to the timbered region, afterward Sheboygan, Wis.; lived in a log house with Indians camping near by, and knew much of frontier hardships and resolute achievements. They afterwards removed to Winooski, in the same state, where they passed their closing years. In 1893, Mrs. Stone, almost 96 years old, wrote a beautiful letter to Mr. May regarding the Chicago meeting soon to assemble; and her son Hialmer made an address in the meeting.

Children of James and Lucinda (Danforth) Stone:

1. *Elmina Eliza Stone*, b. 21 Jan., 1820; m. 31 Dec., 1840, Sherman Comings, of Rockford, Ill., b. 17 Dec., 1818.

Children:

(1) Arthur Franklin Comings, M.D., b. 11 Oct., 1845; m. 4 April, 1872, Abby Mary Maria Hobart, b. 27 Sept., 1849.

(2) Everett Sherman Comings, b. 12 Sept., 1857; m. Mary Addie Hutchinson; was a wood engraver and artist at Rockford, Ill.; d. in 1890.

2. *Glanville Wentworth Stone*, b. 23 March, 1823; m. 18 Oct., 1847, Celinda Hannah, dau. of Asa and Han-

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nah Tyler, of Mexico, Oswego Co., N. Y.; b. 23 March, 1829.

Children:

(1) Viola Francesca Stone, b. 3 June, 1851; m. 20 March, 1869, Hiram Edward Gardner; res. Ladoga, Fond du Lac, Wis.

(2) Walter Theron Stone, b. 2 Aug., 1862.

3. *Maila Marion Stone*, b. 18 June, 1828; m. 9 Sept., 1849, Elijah Palmer Andrus, b. 22 Aug., 1821.

Children:

(1) Arabel Freelove Andrus, b. 8 May, 1852.

(2) Julia M. Andrus, b. 22 Oct., 1853; m. 29 Dec., 1878, Helon F. Shadbolt, of Sheboygan, Wis.

(3) Helen M. Andrus, b. 30 March, 1863; m. in Sept., 1890, ——— Tubbs, of Elkhorn, Wis.

(4) Merritt Palmer Andrus, b. 5 Jan., 1865.

(5) Hialmer Benjamin James Andrus, b. 2 May, 1870.

4. *Helen Marr Stone*, b. 24 May, 1830; m. 14 Nov., 1851, Harvey Comings, b. 6 Dec., 1827. She d. 14 Sept., 1892.

5. *Plautina Eliza Stone*, b. 13 Feb., 1833; m. 5 Dec., 1850, Selden Aiken, b. 24 Sept., 1824.

Children:

(1) Frances Mary Aiken, b. 22 Aug., 1853; m. Howard Gates; child, Alice May Gates, b. 27 May, 1878.

(2) Louis Wilton Aiken, b. 6 March, 1855; m. Ida May Shadbolt; children, Bessie Franc Aiken, b. 13 Feb., 1880, and Katie Lula Aiken, b. 21 July, 1883.

6. *Hialmer Harlin Stone*, b. 21 Nov., 1835; m. (1) 8 Nov., 1860, Lucy Ann McMurphy, b. 12 July, 1837; d. 12 Aug., 1869; he m. (2) 10 Nov., 1870, Marietta, dau. of John Walker and Martha Millard, b. 25 July, 1844.

Child: Roy James Stone, b. 13 Aug., 1867.

7. *Mary Alexia Stone*, b. 17 April, 1840; m. Henry W. McMurphy.

Children of Henry W. and Mary Alexia (Stone) McMurphy:

(1) Mabel McMurphy, b. 19 June, 1860; m. Henry T. Harling, b. in Hanover, Germany, Sept., 1850.

(2) John McMurphy, b. 7 Oct., 1863.

(3) Harly Roy McMurphy, b. 28 Nov., 1867; "dealer in cheese"; res. Plymouth, Wis.

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(4) Almira McMurphy, b. 17 April, 1870; m. 18 Dec., 1888, Edward Augustus, son of Peter Kennedy, of Waldo, Wis.; b. at Sheboygan Falls, Wis., 17 Aug., 1857. Children: Gladys Ellen Kennedy, b. 12 Sept. 1891; and Howard Edward Kennedy, b. 24 Dec., 1896.

(5) Caroline McMurphy, b. 19 Jan., 1872.

8. *Elnora Lucinda Stone*, b. 28 April, 1844; d. 5 Feb., 1849.

x. RHODA, b. 28 April, 1800; d. 13 May, 1876; m. 20 Dec., 1826, Benjamin Capel Wood, farmer, Lyndon, Wis., b. Essex, N. Y., 4 Sept., 1779, d. 19 Sept., 1874.

Children of Benj. C. and Rhoda (Danforth) Wood:

1. *Priscilla Wood*, b. Berkshire, 1 Aug., 1827.
2. *Lura Wood*, b. 21 Feb., 1829.
3. *Lura Priscilla Wood*, b. 11 Aug., 1832; d. 31 Jan., 1835.
4. *Calista Marinia Wood*, b. 26 Dec., 1834; m. (1) 28 Nov., 1852, William Reed Ellis, b. Franklin; res. Winooski, Wis., and Mattapoisett, Mass.; died there. She m. (2) 25 July, 1886, Mr. Willey; res. So. Franklin, Vt.

Children:

(1) Rhoda Ann Ellis, b. 1 April, 1854; m. 2 May, 1874, Elbridge O. Bailey.

(2) Ednah Adelia Ellis, b. 26 Nov., 1856; m. 29 July, 1877, Samuel Thomas Bennett; res. New Bedford.

(3) Henry Milton Ellis, b. 18 Dec., 1858; d. at Elgin, Ill., 17 April, 1865.

(4) John Thomas Ellis, b. 16 Dec., 1862; d. 28 March, 1865.

5. *Oliver Stanley Wood*, b. 29 Nov., 1837; m. (1) 7 June, 1858, Elizabeth Jane Willard; m. (2) Ella A. Myrick.

Children:

(1) Mary Elizabeth Wood, b. at Lyndon, Wis., 4 July, 1864.

(2) Katherine Estella Wood, b. 31 May, 1866.

(3) Alida Rhoda Wood, b. 27 Aug., 1868.

(4) Flora Wood, b. 1 May, 1870.

6. *Eunice Bowman Wood*, b. 22 June, 1841; d. 22 June, 1887; m. at Franklin, Vt., in 1861, David E. Cross, of New York; res. Amboy, Minn.

Children:

(1) John Henry Cross, b. Shelbyville, Minn., 3 Jan., 1866; m. 30 Oct., 1889, Florence L. McKinstry.

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Child: Harry G. Cross, b. 19 Oct., 1890.
(2) William Ellis Cross, b. 15 May, 1870.
(3) Agnes Cross, b. Dec., 1873.

253. xi. JONATHAN, b. 15 May, 1802.
xii. HANNAH, b. 1 March, 1804; d. in 1809.
xiii. PERMELA, b. 10 March, 1806; m. Servarnard Jewett, a farmer, of Lyndon, Wis.
xiv. PERSIS, b. 20 March, 1808; m. 29 Jan., 1853, Joel Wright, blacksmith, Onion River, Wis.

## 127.

ISAAC,[6] M. D., (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 29 Sept., 1763; died at Barnard, Vt., where he had resided many years, 28 May, 1851; married in 1788, Persis, daughter of Gen. Joseph Baker, of Westboro, Mass., born 15 June, 1770, died at Pomfret, Vt., 9 Sept., 1844. "He was a good, practical farmer, and a skillful physician." A gentleman of refined and courteous manners, and most polite and helpful to the humblest persons; "beloved and respected by all." [See No. 118.]

Children:

i. PERSIS BAKER,[7] b. 1 Feb., 1791; d. 10 Feb., 1868; m. in Feb. 1808, Rev. Joel Davis, b. at Sharon, Vt., Oct., 1776, d. 6 Feb., 1853. He was a minister at Barnard.

Children of Joel and Persis B. (Danforth) Davis:

1. *Betsey Maria Davis*, b. 10 March, 1812; d. 18 May, 1882; m. Joseph S. Scovell, Montpelier, Vt.
2. *Isaac Danforth Davis*, b. 27 Feb., 1810; res. Barnard, Vt.
3. *Martha Baker Davis*, b. Feb., 1814; m. Dea. Orcutt Abbot, Williamstown.
4. *Persis Baker Davis*, b. Feb., 1816; m. Campbell Martin, Montpelier, Vt.
5. *John Preston Davis*, b. 10 May, 1818; m. Calista Gale, of Barre, Vt.; res. Northfield, Vt.
6. *Elizabeth Davis*, b. 1821; m. Charles Lyon, Montpelier, d. 16 May, 1882.
7. *William Danforth Davis*, b. 1823; d. 17 Aug., 1842.
8. *Solon Danforth Davis*; d. young.

254. ii. ISAAC EMERY, b. 24 Jan., 1793.
iii. BETSEY MARIA, twin with the above, d. 21 Aug., 1803.
255. iv. JOSEPH BAKER, b. 6 Nov., 1795.
v. SOLON, b. 14 Jan., 1800; d. 19 Oct., 1872; m. Abba R. Holton; Woodstock. No children.
vi. WILLIAM CULLEN, M. D., b. 30 June, 1804; d. 22 July, 1825.
256. vii. ALBERT HALLER, b. 2 March, 1808.
256*a* viii. SAMUEL PARKMAN, b. 12 Dec., 1810.

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## 128.

JONATHAN[6] (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 Feb., 1769, in Hartland, Vt.; died Sept., 1857; married Betsey French, of Tewksbury; rem. to Pomfret, Vt.

Children:

257. i. ISAAC W.[7], b. about 1806.
258. ii. HOSLEY, b. 21 Nov., 1810.
iii. JANE SHORE, m. in 1852, Philip S. Hicks, of Royalton; d. 22 Feb., 1845.

Children of Philip and Jane S. (Danforth) Hicks:

1. *Betsey Lorena Hicks.*
2. *Rosetta Maria Hicks.*
3. *Isaac William Hicks.*
4. *Sophronia Hicks.*

iv. ELIZA MARIA, m. first, Herman Fassett, carriage maker, of Enosburg, Vt. He d. 19 Feb., 1856; m. second, 18 March, 1860, Amos Green, of Enosburg; he d. 25 May, 1864. She m. third, 14 Feb., 1876, Silas Davis, of W. Enosburg; farmer. He d. 4 July, 1880.

Children of Herman and Eliza M. (Danforth) Fassett:

1. *Isaac Danforth Fassett.*
2. *Edna Jane Fassett*, m. Henry C. Page, of Waterville.
3. *Mason H. Fassett*, b. Sept., 1850.
4. *Herman H. Fassett*, b. 2 Dec., 1856.

v. BETSEY SOPHRONIA, b. 1823, d. 1845, unm.

## 129.

SAMUEL,[6] M. D. (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Calais, Vt., 31 Aug., 1772; died in Barnard, Vt., 12 April, 1812; married 9 May, 1800, Mercy Southgate, born 29 May, 1777, died 12 Feb., 1827.

Children:

i. EUPHEMIA NANELLE,[7] b. 31 Jan., 1801; d. unm. 6 Jan., 1827.
ii. ANCUS, b. 21 Oct., 1802; d. in N. Y. city, 15 April, 1826; a hatter; unm.
259. iii. ARO, b. 3 Feb., 1804.
iv. BETSEY MARIA, b. 30 Dec., 1805; d. 7 Sept., 1883; m. 19 March, 1828, Dean Clapp, b. at Barnard, Vt., 15 Jan., 1804; d. in 1865.

Children of Dean and Betsey M. (Danforth) Clapp:

1. *Aro Danforth Clapp*, b. 22 July, 1830; m. Helen Eaton, b. 3 Sept., 1833; res. Norwalk, O.

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Child of Aro D. and Helen E. Clapp:

Grace M. Clapp, b. 20 Feb., 1860; m. 28 Jan., 1881, Perry J. Tillson; Ch.: Carl Dean Tillson, b. 1884, d. 1887, and Howard Clapp Tillson, b. 30 June, 1886.

2. *Mary Isabel Clapp*, b. 18 June, 1834; m. Dr. Alfred Terry, of Norwalk, O.; she d. 18 Nov., 1895.

Children of Alfred and Mary I. (Clapp) Terry:

(1) Fred Dean Terry, b. 1854, d. 1857.
(2) Fanny Maria Terry, b. 1856, d. 1858.
(3) Ida Lavon Terry, b. 20 May, 1859; m. Charles H. Rule; res. Detroit, Mich.
(4) Alfred Dean Terry.
(5) Bessie Henrietta Terry, m. John E. Cline, Detroit.

3. *Henry Seymour Clapp*, b. 2 Oct., 1841; m. 20 Oct., 1869, Sarah Douglas Brightman, b. 17 March, 1847.

Children:

(1) Mary Bell Clapp, b. 25 June, 1872.
(2) Kate Brightman Clapp, b. 24 March, 1878.

260. v. ISAAC CARMI, b. 29 Aug., 1807.

vi. HORATIO SEYMOUR, b. 15 June, 1809; d. at Barnard, Vt., 12 Jan., 1828.

vii. JOANNA, b. 27 June, 1811; m. in 1833, Daniel, eldest son of Rev. Asahel and Esther (Eaton) Morse, of Gorham, N. Y. He was a tanner and farmer; res. at Norwalk, O.; d. 9 Dec., 1899; she d. 2 May, 1899.

Children of Daniel and Joanna (Danforth) Morse:

1. *Oscar Raymond Morse*, b. 16 Jan., 1835, m. Kate, dau. of Ira and Fanny (Skinner) Terry. Children:

(1) Charles Raymond Morse, b. 9 May, 1861.
(2) Fanny Joanna Morse, b. 22 Oct., 1863.
(3) Caroline Irene Morse, b. 1 Dec., 1865.
(4) Kate Morse, b. 2 April, 1868.

2. *Asahel Morse*, b. 28 April, 1840; d. 26 Aug., 1841.
3. *Samuel Danforth Morse*, b. 3 May, 1844; m. 20 Dec., 1866, Elvira, dau. of Joel and Sarah Ann (Gates) Smith, of Ionia, Mich. Child: Mary Alice Morse, b. 25 Jan., 1876.
4. *Alice Euphemia Morse*, b. 22 July, 1848; d. 16 Oct., 1864.
5. *Rolla Southgate Morse*, b. 23 Nov., 1851; d. 26 March, 1852.
6. *Ada Eaton Morse*, b. 8 July, d. 8 Sept., 1855.

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## SEVENTH GENERATION.

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### 131.

ALLEN[7] (*Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 18 Jan., 1796; died at Plymouth, 28 May, 1872; married 30 Dec., 1818, Lydia, daughter of William and Lydia (Presbrey) Seaver, born in Taunton, 9 June, 1799, died at Plymouth, 31 Aug., 1859.

Mr. Danforth, at Taunton, in 1820, established the "Old Colony Reporter" (now the "Bristol County Republican"); in 1822 he removed to Plymouth, and there established "The Old Colony Memorial" newspaper, which he transferred, in 1836, to his brother-in-law, James Thurber. He was treasurer of the Plymouth Savings Bank; secretary of the Old Colony Insurance Co.; selectman, representative to the legislature, etc.; a man of efficient and useful character. He died in his 90th year.

Children:

261. i. JAMES ALLEN,[8] b. 19 Sept., 1819.
ii. NATHANIEL SEAVER, b. 9 Sept., 1821; d. 9 Oct., 1822.
iii. LYDIA ANN, b. 16 Oct., 1825; d. 11 Sept., 1899.
iv. MARY ADELINE, b. 6 June, 1828; m. 14 Nov., 1855, John Jackson Russell, b. in Plymouth, 1823, son of John and Deborah (Spooner) Russell.

Children of John J. and Mary A. (Danforth) Russell:

1. *Helen Russell*, b. 29 Sept., 1857.
2. *John Russell*, b. 26 Jan., 1860; m. Caroline E. Coombs. Child: Dorothy Russell, b. 18 Feb., 1891.
3. *Lydia Russell*, b. 4 May, 1863; m. 30 June, 1886, Charles Stevenson Davis.

Child: Charles Stevenson Davis, b. 30 June, 1888.

262. v. WILLIAM SEAVER, b. 20 Jan., 1832.

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GEORGE[7] (*Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, April, 1800; died 8 Feb., 1851; married 22 July, 1828, Rebecca B. Southworth, born 26 Dec., 1802, died 3 June, 1891.

Children:

i. HARRIETTE MONTAGUE,[8] b. 28 March, 1829; m. in Providence, R. I., 4 May, 1871, Elkanah, son of Nehemiah and Asenath (Crowley) Hall, b. 5 July, 1819. They have rendered valuable assistance in the meetings of the association and in gathering materials for this work. Child born and died 14 Feb., 1873. Res. Mansfield.
ii. CAROLINE BUCKLEY, b. 2 Nov., 1830.
iii. GEORGE AUGUSTUS, b. 7 Jan., 1834; d. 6 June, 1869.
iv. REBECCA SOUTHWORTH, b. 24 March, 1835.
v. MARY ALICE, b. 27 March, 1836.
vi. HANNAH FRANCES, b. 25 May, 1838.
263. vii. EPHRAIM SOUTHWORTH, b. 27 May, 1840.

133.

JOHN[7] (*Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 1 April, 1802; died at New London, 15 July, 1881; married first, 7 Sept., 1823, Caroline Bulkley, daughter of John and Eunice (Frink) Prentice, born 24 June, 1805, died 20 Aug., 1824. He married second, 1 Oct., 1848, Jane, widow of Jonathan Brooks, born 12 June, 1804. His first wife died about a year after their marriage, and the business in which he had embarked failed. He again entered into business, only to fail. Great mental prostration followed, which yielded to treatment in the asylum, but with only partial recovery. He was ever afterward a peculiar person, never altogether sane. Became, on this account, a notable person in the community.

Child:

JOHN PRENTICE,[8] b. Aug., 1824; d. 3 March, 1825.

135.

THOMAS[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Mansfield, 20 Jan., 1784; died in Boston, 14 Jan., 1879; married first, 10 Jan., 1808, Rhoda Shepard, born in Canton, 27 Aug., 1789, died in Roxbury, 21 Sept., 1841. He married second, 10 Nov., 1842, Mary Donelson Weston, born 11 Sept., 1799, died 26 May, 1882.

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war of the Revolution he entered the service,* "being engaged at the battle of Bunker Hill, in which his father, brother and kinsmen to the number of thirteen were also serving"; "was captain of a company at the battle of Saratoga and at the surrender of Burgoyne," and "Major in the 4th Mass. regiment." He received a pension of $240 per annum 1818–1830.

He resided several years at Brookfield, Mass., and there several of his children were born. He removed to Mayfield, N. Y., and cultivated a farm. Hearing from a stranger by the name of Webster who spent the night at his house that there were much richer lands to be found in the Onondaga valley, he resolved to go there. Having assured himself that the Indians in that section would be friendly, he embarked his family and goods in flat-boats, and made the journey in May, 1788, by the Mohawk river and lakes Oneida and Onondaga valley, making his home where Onondaga Hollow settlement afterwards grew up. He was thus really the first settler of the region. With great energy he faced the problems of the new country. In 1791 he built a sawmill on Butternut Creek (now DeWitt township); he brought the saw on his shoulders from Fort Schuyler (now Rome), and other parts and materials were brought by Indians and other men from Utica. The first boards used in the county were sawed there. He was a benevolent, hospitable man, sagacious as an adviser, highly regarded by the community. He was Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, the first session of which was held in his barn; for one term he was a senator in the state Assembly; he was superintendent of the salt springs, etc. He took great interest in the organization of the State Militia, and was made Major General of the same in course of time.

Mrs. Danforth is remembered as a woman of great benevolence and kindliness; like her husband she was of attractive appearance and both had many admiring friends.

Children:

206. i. ASA,[7] b. at Brookfield, 29 June, 1768.

*ASA, Brookfield. Sergeant, Capt. Ithamar Wright's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 8 days; reported enlisted into the army April 27, 1775; *also*, Lieutenant, Capt. Peter Harwood's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; list of officers; resolved in Provincial Congress May 23, 1775, that commissions be delivered said officers; *also*, Lieutenant, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; engaged April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 1 week 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, Captain, 4th co., Col. James Converse's (4th Worcester Co.) regt.; list of officers of Mass. militia dated Brookline, July 23, 1777; ordered in Council July 29, 1777, that commissions be issued; reported commissioned July 29, 1878; *also*, Captain of a co. of volunteers, Col. Convers's regt.; service, 31 days; company marched from Brookfield Sept. 23, 1777, to reinforce army under Gen. Gates.

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ii. EUNICE, b. 12 Oct., 1772; m. Reuben Patterson, b. "near Boston, Mass., 1768"; d. at Sandusky, O., 18 June, 1840. In 1816 the family travelled in wagons from Onondaga Co., toward "the West"; sojourned for various short periods at Huron, O., and Fort Stephenson; passed along in 1819 to the spot whereon the town of Fremont was destined to rise, in whose upbuilding they bore an important part.

Children of Reuben and Eunice (Danforth) Patterson:

1. *Sear "Czar" Patterson*, b. 1795.
2. *Alvord Patterson*, b. 1797; m. in 1820, Julia Webb. Children: Eveline Patterson, b. 1822, m. 1840, John Shannon. Res. Fremont; d. 9 Oct. 1893.
3. *Eveline Patterson*, b. 15 Feb., 1800; d. 25 Dec., 1883; m. 23 Feb., 1823, Lysander Curtis Ball, b. at Rockingham, Vt., 26 March, 1795; blacksmith; went on foot from Boston to Lower Sandusky, O.; he d. 2 March, 1877.

   Children of Lysander C. and Eveline (Patterson) Ball:

   (1) Sarah Danforth Ball, b. 23 June, 1836: m. 26 Oct., 1859, Stephen Morse Emerson, b. at Sandusky, O., 15 Jan., 1833.
   (2) Lysander Curtis Bell, b. 3 Dec., 1839; m. 13 Nov., 1865, Hannah Elvira Morrison; res. Jamestown, N. Dak.
   (3) Eveline Ball, resides at Fremont, O.
   (4) Elvira Ball.
   (5) Thaddeus Ball.
   (6) Oscar Ball.

4. *Danforth Patterson*, b. 12 March, 1803; m. 21 Nov., 1836, Sarah Perry.
5. *Adams Patterson*, b. 1805; d. 1808.
6. *Julius Patterson*, b. 9 May, 1808; d. 23 May, 1887; m. Margaret Leary, b. 2 Nov., 1820, d. 14 March, 1894.
7. *Harriet Patterson*, b. 17 May, 1810; m. James Moore, b. at Huntington, Pa., 26 Feb., 1806; she d. Oct., 1899. Resided at Ballville, O.

   Children of James and Harriet (Patterson) Moore:

   (1) Orven Moore, b. 1 Jan., 1832; drowned 4 May, 1838.
   (2) Juliet Moore, b. 23 Nov., 1833; m. 12 Oct., 1858, William Anderson Rice, son of Dr.

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Robert S. Rice, b. in Lower Sandusky, O., 31 July, 1829; d. 24 April, 1893.

(3) Leroy Moore, b. 28 Dec., 1836; d. 29 June, 1888; m. 9 Nov., 1869, Mary Jane, dau. of Elisha and Sally (Brush) Dawley, b. 14 Dec., 1849.

(4) Celeste Moore, b. 16 Jan., 1838; d. 11 July, 1854.

(5) Charles T. Moore, b. 24 March, 1846; m. 26 Oct., 1822, Mary Jane, dau. of Lewis and Jane Margaret (Fleming) Huber; res. Fremont, O.

(6) Celia Moore, b. 7 Nov., 1848; m. 8 July, 1873, John C. Fisher, b. 1 May, 1848.

(7) Oriette Moore, b. 12 Aug., 1850; m. John G. Speller, b. in Prussia, 23 April, 1843.

8. *Caroline Patterson*, b. 1 April, 1813; d. 9 Feb., 1825.

iii. JONATHAN, d. young.

iv. REBECCA, b. 3 Jan., 1777; m. Nathaniel Earl.

Mr. Earl was a son of Daniel Earl (Earll, Earle), [See Ralph Earle and His Descendants; Worcester, press of Charles Hamilton, 1888], and was b. 10 Sept. 1771; d. about 1839. He was a farmer; spent his early life in Onondaga county, N. Y.; removed to Zanesville, O.; to Fairfield co. and later to Sandusky, O.; then to "The Wea," Tippecanoe co., Ind., and, finally to Tymochtee in Crawford co. (now Wyandot) O., where he died. Mrs. Earl d. 2 Nov. 1842.

Children:

1. *Cyrus Earl*, b. 27 July, 1795; d. 1852; m. 1814, Ruth, dau. of Thomas and Rebecca (Harper) Montgomery, b. 14 Oct. 1795, d. 1 April, 1862. He was a brick and stone mason.

Children:

(1) Lovisa Earl, b. 23 April, 1815; m. (1) Elliot Baker, (2) Henry Crile.

(2) Marinda Mahala Earl, b. 3 March, 1818; m. Robert Scott.

(3) Evelina Earl, b. Dec., 1819; m. Corydon Bennett.

(4) John Earl, b. 19 Sept., 1821; d. 10 Oct., 1823.

(5) Rachel Earl, b. 23 April, 1823; d. 27 March, 1840.

(6) Marietta Earl, b. 24 July, 1826; d. 1 Jan., 1857.

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(7) Cyrus Nehemiah Earl, b. 5 March, 1828; m. Delilah Dunn.

(8) Abijah Earl, b. 4 Sept., 1830; d. about 1848.

(9) Sallie Almira Earl, b. 5 Sept., 1830; m. Martin Pearse.

(10) Mortimer Earl, b. 25 June, 1833; d. about 1841.

(11) Rebecca Earl, b. 3 March, 1837; d. 10 Aug., 1838.

(12) Montgomery Harper Earl, b. 2 April, 1839; m. Elizabeth Cole.

2. *Orilla Earl*, b. 17 June, 1797; d. Aug., 1827; m. Chauncy Fuller, b. 20 Sept., 1790, d. 2 June, 1841.

Children:

(1) Anson Fuller, b. 1817.

(2) Maria Fuller, b. 1819; m. Peter Keenan.

(3) Orin Fuller, b. 1820.

(4) Isaac Fuller, b. 1822; m. Sarah Little.

3. *Jonas Earl*, b. 18 May, 1799; d. in 1815.

4. *Rebecca Earl*, b. 20 March, 1801; d. 8 May, 1843: m. (1) 26 Dec., 1816, Joel, son of Levi and Zeuba (Burroughs) Hamlin, b. in Maine, 15 Oct., 1793, d. at Wyandotte, O., 28 June, 1822; she m. (2) Isaac Walker, a Wyandot Indian chief, b. in Canada; she m. (3) 11 Nov., 1829, Joseph, son of Darius and Molly Chaffee, b. at Stafford, Conn., 6 Sept., 1789, d. in Utah in 1849, on his way to California.

Children:

(1) Amanda Hamlin, b. 4 Jan., 1818; m. (1) George Van Doren, (2) Richard A. Coe.

(2) Jane Hamlin, b. 8 Oct., 1820; m. George T. Freece.

(3) William C. Walker, d. in infancy.

(4) Isaiah Walker, b. 29 July, 1826; m. Mary Williams.

(5) Henry Clay Chaffee; d. in infancy.

(6) Junius Chaffee, b. 25 Nov. 1832.

(7) Lucius Elliott Chaffee, b. 9 Sept., 1835; d. 8 Oct., 1887.

(8) A daughter, d. in infancy.

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5. *Lovisa Earl*, b. 27 Dec., 1802; d. 17 April, 1837; m. in 1817, Reuben, son of Ezra and Mahala Burris [Burroughs] Hamlin, b. in Bangor, Me., 22 Dec., 1798, d. at Upper Sandusky, O., 7 Oct., 1855.

Children:

(1) Washington Smith Hamlin, b. 29 July, 1808; m. Mary Marshall.
(2) Nehemiah E. Hamlin, b. 1820; m. wid. Adelia (Miller) Elden.
(3) Commodore Decatur Hamlin, b. 22 Dec., 1822; m. Mary Wallace.
(4) Eliza Hamlin, b. 22 Feb., 1823; m. Curtis Berry.
(5) Reuben W. Hamlin, b. 1826; d. about 1847.
(6) William Hamlin, b. 1828; m. (1)—Smith; m. (2) Frances Rust.
(7) Oribut Hamlin, b. 1830; d. in infancy.
(8) Carlin Hamlin, b. 2 Sept., 1831; m. Sarah Loring Temple.
(9) Gilbert Hamlin, b. 1832; d. in infancy.
(10) Levi Hannibal Hamlin, b. 1833; m. Martha Lake.
(11) Joshua Murat Hamlin, b. 29 July, 1835; m. Elizabeth Smith.
(12) Francis Hamlin, d. in infancy.
(13) A son; died when one week old; was buried with the mother.

6. *Asa Earl*, b. 28 Aug., 1804; d. at Tippecanoe, O., 31 Oct., 1890; m. (1) 25 Dec., 1829, Isabella J. Shannon, b. in Kentucky, 1 Dec., 1805, d. in 1840; he m. (2) in 1840, Mary, dau. of Dennis Downing; he m. (3) Lydia Rupe, b. in Pennsylvania, who d. 18 months after marriage; he m. (4) 13 June, 1850, Elizabeth, dau. of John and Nancy (McKnight) Youell, b. in Virginia, 18 June, 1810, d. in March, 1893. Mr. Earl, as one of the pioneer farmers of Tippecanoe co., was greatly respected; lived 29 years on the same farm; dealt largely in grain; was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Children of Asa and Isabelle (Shannon) Earl:

(1) Salima Earl, b. 13 Nov., 1830: m. 20 Jan.,

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1850, Jacob Markel, b. in Fairfield co., O., 26 April, 1830; res. Wichita, Kan.

(2) Augustus Earl, b. 17 Nov., 1832; d. 27 Feb., 1881, unm.

(3) Harriet Earl, } b. 19 Aug., 1834.
(4) Rebecca Earl, }

(5) Erastus Earl, b. 9 Jan., 1837.

(6) Isabel Earl, b. 20 Jan., 1839.

7. *Samantha Earl*, b. 29 Aug., 1806; d. in 1833; m. James Duddleson.

8. *Minerva Earl*, b. 15 May, 1808; d. at Tymochtee, O., 3 May, 1843; m. 28 May, 1829, Samuel Kenan, b. in Ohio Co., W. Virginia, 6 July, 1806, d. at Upper Sandusky, O., 3 Oct., 1891.

Children:

(1) Alvin Kenan, b. 26 April, 1832.

(2) Amanda Kenan, b. 8 July, 1835. m. Wm. Young.

(3) Joel Kenan, b. and d. 1836.

(4) George Kenan, b. 18 Oct. 1837.

(5) Samuel Kenan, b. 1839; d. 1842.

(6) James Kenan, b. 18 Dec. 1841; res. Toledo, O.

9. *Amanda Earl*. b. 30 July, 1810; d. in 1850; m. Truman Bates, b. about 1810; d. about 1850.

10. *Daniel Earl*, b. 3 June, 1812; m. (1) 7 Dec. 1834, Elizabeth Tool; m. (2) 1 Oct. 1857, Hannah, dau. of Lyle and Elizabeth (Roberts) Fulton.

Children:

(1) Rebecca Earl, b. 27 Feb. 1840; m. Josiah Ivers.

(2) Jonas B. Earl, m. Sarah, dau. of Jonathan James, M.D.

(3) Emma F. Earl, b. 16 April, 1851; m. Anthony B. Anderson.

(4) C. Elizabeth Earl, b. 13 March, 1859; m. J. A. Wilson.

(5) Melvin S. Earl, b. 7 March, 1863; m. Esther E. Walker.

(6) Ella Earl, b. 13 March, 1865; m. J. Frank Robey.

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(4) De Witt Carpenter, b. 25 Nov. 1859; m. Mary Finnegan. Res. Lafayette, Ind.

14. *Adams Earl*, b. 20 April, 1819; d. 15 Jan., 1898; m. Martha J. Hawkins. He was one of the most enterprising citizens of Lafayette, Ind., taking part in the railroad and land development schemes which have built up the city.

From farming, to which he was bred, he passed in the early "forties" to building flat-boats and taking his produce on them down the Wabash and the great river to New Orleans. In 1847 he engaged in general mercantile business at Lafayette, with James G. Carnahan; was a wholesale grocer 32 years more; built up the "National State Bank of Lafayette." Engaged in commission and packing business in 1862, in Chicago. Took a leading part in developing the Cincinnati, Lafayette and Chicago Railroad (Kankakee line); was president of the Crystal Ice Co.; carried on farming and stock raising on a large scale. He gave $40,000 towards the erection of the court house at Lafayette. He was the principal force in the building of the Belt Line R.R., which vastly enlarged and improved the city, and secured the location at L. of extensive railway work-shops. His beautiful residence, Fountain Park, stood in a forest of ten acres, four of which were a deer park. He was in early life a member of the "Christian" church; later an attendant and helper of the Presbyterian church, highly esteemed. In height, Mr. Earl was six feet and one inch; his weight was about 170 pounds. He was industrious, energetic, public spirited. He took great interest in the Danforth family, and was prominent at the meeting in Chicago in 1893. He married first, 1 Dec., 1842, Matilda Orr. He married second, 5 Dec. 1848, Martha Jane, daughter of James and Susannah (Jones) Hawkins, b. near Hamilton, O., 12 July, 1822; she survives him.

Children of Adams and Martha J. (Hawkins) Earl:

(1) Alice Jane Earl, b. 20 Oct. 1850; m. 20 Dec. 1876, Charles Benedict Stuart, who was b. at Logansport, N. Y., 4 June, 1853; grad. Amherst Col. 1873; Columbia Law School; succeeded in 1876 to the law practice of his father, Hon. W. Z. Stuart; was counsel for the Wabash R. R., and other corporations. After his marriage he resided at Layfayette, Ind., and was

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associated with Mr. Earl in the improvement of dairy stock, etc., on Shadeland farm, etc.; director in various corporations. He died 20 Feb., 1899.

(2) Morel Josiah Earl, b. 7 June, 1853; m. 9 Oct., 1878, Elizabeth, dau. of Hon. A. B. Claypool, of Connorsville. He d. 28 June, 1879.

15. *Josiah Earl*, b. near Tymochtee, O. 12 March, 1821; removed to California and resided in Red Bluff and other towns, Oakland being the latest. He died in Sidney, Australia, while on a journey, 24 May, 1884. He married, at Tehama, Cal., 20 Aug. 1857, Adelia Tobias, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Tobias) Chaffee, b. near Tymochtee, O., 5 Jan. 1822; she d. in Oakland, Cal., 2 April, 1892.

Children:

(1) Edwin Tobias Earl, was born on a farm near Red Bluff, California, May 30, 1858; received his education mostly in the public schools of Oakland, including the High School. He m. (1) at Santa Rosa, Cal., 13 Feb. 1884, Emily, dau. of Armstead and Mary (Crawford) Runyon, b. 8 Aug. 1864. He m. (2) at Los Angeles, Cal. 30 April, 1902, Emily Moss, dau. of Joshua H. and Anne (Murrell) Jarvis, b. in Louisville, Ky.; her mother was dau. of Robert and Emily Moss of Glasgow, Ky.

In early manhood he entered into the business of fruit shipping and founded the well known Earl Fruit Company. For twenty years he occupied a leading position in the fruit world as a distributor of California fruits in all American markets and even abroad; and his car-line, known as the Continental Fruit Express, operated throughout the United States and Canada.

In 1901, at the early age of 42, Mr. Earl was able to withdraw from active business with a large fortune. He devotes himself to the affairs of several important California corporations engaged in fruit growing, in street-railroading, banking, lighting and in the generation and transmission of electric power; is also pro-

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Mr. Edwin Tobias Earl.

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prietor of the Los Angeles Express, the leading evening newspaper in Southern California. He has always been a Republican in politics, but has steadily refused to accept any political office.

Mr. Earl administers his wealth as a trust. He has bestowed large benefactions on educational and religious institutions and has for many years engaged in practical religious and philanthropic work. Since boyhood he has been a member of the Congregational church. Mr. Earl resides in Los Angeles, where he has a palatial home and is prominent in social, political and business affairs.

(2) Guy Chaffee Earl, was also born on the farm at Red Bluff, Cal., 7 May, 1861; married at Oakland, Cal., 15 Nov. 1888, Ella Jane, dau. of Jerome Bursley and Martha Pauline (Hayes) Ford, b. at Mendocino, Cal., 20 March, 1862; her father was b. at Grand Isle, Vt., and her mother at North Granby, Mass.

He fitted for college at the Oakland High School, and was graduated from the University of California in 1883; studied law and was admitted to the bar. Was county attorney 1887–1889; state senator 1892–6, declining renomination. Has law offices in San Francisco, and is identified with several important corporations. Resides in Oakland. Is one of the State regents of the University (1902–1918). Is known as a Republican in politics and a Congregationalist in religion.

Children:

(i) Alice Earl, b. 23 Sept. 1899.
(ii) Martha Ford Earl, b. 11 May, 1891.
(iii) Elinore Hayes Earl, } b. Jan. 1894.
(iv) Guy Chaffee Earl, Jr. } b. Jan. 1894.

v. PATTY, b. 1780; d. Nov., 1854; m. Thaddeus M. Wood, b. at Lenox, 9 March, 1772; Dartmouth Coll., 1790; lawyer, keen and sagacious; Brig. Gen. in war of 1812; Maj. Gen. in 1820; a very efficient officer and highly honored citizen. He d. at Syracuse, N. Y., 10 Jan., 1836.

Children of Thaddeus M. and Patty (Danforth) Wood:

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1. *Thaddeus M. Wood*, m. Maria Goddard of Montreal; d. at New Orleans, La., 7 Nov., 1832.
2. *Patty Wood*, m. (1) Thaddeus Mead; (2) Asa G. Talcott.
3. *Maria Wood*, b. 27 Jan., 1803; d. 25 March, 1884; m. Charles Ashley Baker.
4. *Theodore Wood*, b. in 1804; d. 10 Oct., 1838; m. Sophronia Willard.
5. *Julia Ann Wood*, m. Waterman C. Chapman.
6. *Junius Wood*, m. Katherine Snyder; d. 18 Aug., 1851.
7. *Emily Wood*, b. in Onondaga, N. Y., in 1810; d. 9 June, 1893, in San Antonio; m. in 1832, Oscar B. Brackett, b. in Salina, N. Y., in 1812; d. in San Antonio, Tex., in 1857.

Children:

(1) Mary Brackett, b, in Salina in 1833; d. in San Antonio, in 1883.

(2) Emily Wood Brackett, b. in Salina, 1834; m. in 1855, Chas. F. King, b. in New Hampshire in 1810; d. in San Antonio, 13 May, 1869. Removed to Texas in 1836; joined the Rangers, and was active in the contests which established Texas independent of Mexico. Mayor of San Antonio in 1848 and 1852. Children; (*a*) Emily Brackett King, b. in 1857; m. in 1873, F. A. Cooley, b. in Elizabethtown, Pa., 1847. Children, b. in Jeffersonville, Ind.; Nannie E. Cooley, b. 1874, Lloyd B. Cooley, b. 1878; Laura C. Cooley, b. 1883. (*b*) Charles F. King, b. in Brooklyn, N. Y., 1861. (*c*) Sarah Smith King, b. in San Antonio, 1865; one of the secretaries of Danforth Family Meeting in Chicago, 1893.

(3) Sarah Brackett, b. in Onondaga, 1836; m. in 1854, Samuel S. Smith, b. in Boston, 1810; d. in San Antonio, 7 Aug., 1882. Children: (*a*) Oscar B. Brackett Smith, b. in San Antonio, 1854; educated in Military School in Austin, Texas; m. in 1898, Micælia Olivarre, b. in 1866. (*b*) Thaddeus Wood Smith, b. 16 July, 1857, grad. Washington Lee University, 1876; Poughkeepsie, 1877; County clerk 1877

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Guy Chaffee Earl, A. M.

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to 1893, at San Antonio. Ch.: Thaddeus Wood Smith, b. in 1882; Sidney P. Smith, b. in 1886; Gertrude Smith, b. in 1889; Sarah Smith, b. in 1893. (*c*) Georgia C. Smith, b. in 1867; m. in 1888, J. Olivarre, b. in 1864. Children: Minnie Olivarre, b. in 1889; Joseph S. Olivarre, b. in 1893. (*d*) Minnie Smith, b. in 1870; m. in 1893, Edward Hovey, b. in 1870.

(4) Ellen Brackett, b. in Syracuse, in 1843; m. in 1865, Simeon W. Cooley, b. in Missouri, 1844; d. at Fort Stockton, Tex., 1883. Their dau. Nannie Ekin Cooley, m. at St. Mark's Church, San Antonio. Wed. Oct. 7, 1896, William Moore White.

8. *Augustus Wood*, m. Sarah Matthews.

207. vi. ADAMS, m. Betsey Smith; had two children; d. some years ago: widow was in Michigan at last accounts.

97.

JOHN[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Dunstable, Mass., 17 Feb., 1748; married at Billerica, May 6, 1779, Mercy Wait. Was one of the pioneers of Liverpool, N. Y., in 1789, his nephew Asa Danforth being associated with him and a few others. He kept tavern in Liverpool.

Children:

i. RUFUS.[7]
ii. MERCY, b. at Billerica, 11 Nov., 1779.
iii. JOHN.
iv. SAMUEL.
v. SALLY.
vi. ANN, m. —— Cleaves.
vii. A daughter, m. —— Batcheler.
viii. A daughter, m. —— Pool; res. Cicero, near Liverpool.
ix. POLLY, m. Handley Lamb.

JOHN, Western. Private, Capt. Reuben Read's co. of Minute-men, Col. Jonathan Warner's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Roxbury; service, 5 days; *also*, Capt. Peter Harwood's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 1 week 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, return of men enlisted or drafted into Continental Army from East co. in Western, 4th Worcester Co. regt., as returned to Col. James Converse, endorsed "Brookfield, Sept. 1, 1777"; residence, Western; engaged for town of Western; joined Capt. Slayton's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; term, during war; *also*, Sergeant, Capt. Field's co., Col. Sheppard's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from March 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1729; *also*, Capt. Reuben Slayton's co., Col. William Shepard's (3d) regt.; muster

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return dated Valley Forge, Jan. 30, 1778; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster rolls for July, Aug., Oct. and Nov., 1778, dated Providence; *also*, Colonel's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; appointed March 1, 1777; *also*, same co. and regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; *also*, Colonel's co., Col. Shepard's (4th) regt.; return for gratuity dated Highlands, Feb. 24, 1780; *also*, same co. and regt.; return made up for the year 1780, dated at West Point, Jan. 28, 1780 [1781]; *also*, Sergeant, (late) Capt. James Cooper's co., Col. William Shepard's regt.; muster roll for May, 1781. dated West Point; *also*, Capt. Lebbeus Drew's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; muster rolls for June and July, 1781, dated Phillipsburgh; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Aug., 1781; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Sept., 1781, dated Continental Village; *also*, same co. and regt; muster rolls for Oct., 1781–Feb., 1782, dated York Hutts.

JOHN. Private; list of men returned as serving on main guard at Prospect Hill under Lieut. Col. Loammi Baldwin dated July 16, 1775.

## 97*a*.

"JUDGE" JONATHAN[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Brookfield, Mass., 21 Dec., 1752; died at Cobbleskill, N. Y., 4 Feb., 1807; married Judith Spaulding, born 1765, died 8 June, 1840. He was in the battle of Bunker Hill, and afterward served in the company commanded by his brother Asa, under Gates, at the surrender of Burgoyne. He removed from Brookfield to Albany, N. Y., making his home where now the state house stands; kept tavern; removed to Schoharie county and engaged in road-building; "originated" the Cherry Valley and Athens turn-pike.

Children:

208. i. THOMAS PAINE,[7] b. 20 June, 1781.
209. ii. GEORGE, b. 9 Nov., 1789.
iii. JOHN JAY, settled at Amsterdam, N. Y., in the practice of law; married.
iv. ORPHA, b. 14 Oct., 1801; d. 23 Feb., 1818; her grave stone calls her "Orra," and "daughter of Jno. Danforth."

JONATHAN, Brookfield. Private, Capt. Peter Harwood's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; reported as serving in place of John Smith of Brookfield; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Dec. 20, 1775; *also*, Capt. Asa Danforth's co. of volunteers, Col. Convers's regt.; service, 31 days; company marched from Brookfield Sept. 23, 1777, to join army under Gen. Gates. (See also Nos. 44, 92a and 102.)

## 97*b*.

RUFUS[6] (*Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born (date unknown); believed to be the man who was one of the assessors of the town of Salina, N. Y., in 1809. Mr. Mars.

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Neering, of Liverpool, N. Y., states that he was a brother of John Danforth. He is said to have been drowned in Oneida Lake.

It is asserted that he had a son William,[7] who was the father of Eliza Danforth that married Jefferson Church, of L., and died about 1850.

98.

JOHN[6] (*John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 July, 1756*; died 16 Aug., 1796; married 14 Sept., 1779, Hannah Bancroft, born 17 May, 1755, died 12 April, 1806. [Compare with 42 and 48*a* for Revolutionary record and other particulars.] "John Danforth, of Middlesex Co., Mass., aged 78," received a pension in 1834, $96 per *annum*.

Child:

211. JOHN,[7] b. 29 May, 1788.

99.

JOSHUA[6] (*Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woburn, 14 Dec., 1754; died at Danvers, 3 Feb., 1834; married 15 June, 1781, Lydia Sweetser, born in Saugus, 7 April, 1763, died there 8 May, 1845. She joined with her brothers and sisters, Benjamin, William, Oliver and Ephraim Sweetser, Hannah Tuttle, Betsey Hawk, Sally Raddin and Mary Breed in a quitclaim deed in 1816.

* Is he not the person here mentioned?

JOHN, Billerica (also given Tewksbury). Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted July 23, 1775; service, 9 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, descriptive list of men raised in Middlesex Co. to reinforce Continental Army, agreeable to resolve of June 9, 1779, as returned by Brig. Gen. Eleazer Brooks to Maj. Gen. Hosmer, dated Lincoln, July 22, 1779; age, 22 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; residence, Billerica (also given Tewksbury); Capt. Pollard's (also given Capt. Trull's) co., 7th Middlesex Co. regt.; delivered to Lieut. J. Grace; *also*, Private, Capt. Pierce's co., Col. Michael Jackson's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; *also*, descriptive list of enlisted men dated Jan. 1, 1781; age, 24 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 7 in.; complexion, light; hair, light; occupation, yeoman; birthplace, Billerica; residence, Billerica; enlisted for town of Billerica; enlisted Sept. 1, 1779, at West Point, by Lieut. Wethrell; joined Capt. Peirce's (6th) co., Col. Michael Jackson's (8th) regt.; enlistment, during war.

JOHN. Private, Capt. Japheth Daniels's co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's (5th) regt.; wages allowed for Feb.-Dec., 1782, 11 months; reported on command in March, 1782.

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He was a "trader"; lived in Lynn; bought land there in 1793. He served in the Revolutionary army and received a pension of $96 per annum from the year 1818, for the continuance of which his widow petitioned in April, 1834. After her death a list of her surviving children was filed in Middlesex Probate Court, with affidavits respecting her pension.

Children:

212. i. JOSIAH,[7] or JOSHUA,[7] b. 3 Jan., 1784.
ii. LYDIA, b. 13 May, 1785; d. 3 Nov., 1805.
iii. EUNICE, b. 28 Dec., 1787; m. in Lynn, 8 Feb., 1807, Thomas Bates.
213. iv. JOSEPH, b. 2 Sept., 1790.
v. LUCINDA, b. 21 Jan., 1793; d. 29 July, 1843; m. 26 Oct., 1813, James, son of Jephtha and Sarah (Blaney) Marston, b. at Marblehead, 14 Dec., 1788; d. in 1853. Res. Lynn.

Children of James and Lucinda (Danforth) Marston:

1. *Hannah Marston*, b. 24 March, 1815.
2. *James M. Marston*, b. 1817.
3. *William B. Marston*, b. 1819.
4. *Lucinda Marston*, b. 1822.
5. *Augustus Marston*, b. 20 Dec., 1824.
6. *George W. Marston*, b. 1827.
7. *Jacob Benjamin Marston*, b. 12 Oct., 1830; d. 1 March, 1882; m. his cousin Sarah Elizabeth, dau. of 213, Joseph Danforth.

vi. SALLY, b. 30 May, 1795; m. 29 May, 1814, Henry Slade of Chelsea.
vii. DOROTHY, b. 28 July, 1797; d. 7 Feb., 1875; m. first, 13 Nov., 1823, in Medford, Asa, son of John and Elizabeth (Terry) Tufts, b. in May, 1799; d. 16 Nov., 1836. She married, second, 21 Nov., 1838, Oliver Tufts, brother of John, b. in Oct. 1801; d. 16 May, 1883. Res. Somerville.

Children of Asa and Dorothy (Danforth) Tufts:

1. *Caroline Elizabeth Tufts*, b. 4 April, 1826; m. 7 Jan., 1849, Franklin Henderson. Res. Somerville. Ch.: Evelyn Louisa Henderson, b. 26 Jan., 1852; m. 9 Sept., 1873, Edward D. Vreeland, of Somerville. Ch.: (1) Carolyn Elizabeth Vreeland, b. 12 April, 1877; m. 30 Nov., 1898, Shirley R. Ells. (2) Louise Augusta Vreeland, b. 8 March, 1879; m. 4 Feb., 1902, William Joseph Mitchell. (3) Elsie Ladd Vreeland, b. 12 May, 1883; m. 4 Feb., 1902 (double wedding), Arthur Garfield Collier.
2. *William Sumner Tufts*, b. 31 Jan., 1833; d. 3 Dec., 1891; m. 26 Dec., 1859, his cousin, Mary Elizabeth Horton, b. 25 Jan., 1831. Ch.: Clara Belle Tufts, b. 24 April, 1862; m. Oliver Bacon, accountant in Boston, res. in Somerville. Ch.: (1) Wallace Irving

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Bacon, b. 11 Feb., 1882. (2) Gertrude Tufts Bacon, b. 7 Oct., 1883. (3) Bertha Mildred Bacon, b. 10 Jan., 1887.

3. *Anne Louisa Tufts*, b. 31 Oct., 1840; m. 20 Dec., 1874, Dr. Wm. Kelly Fletcher. Res. Cambridge.

viii. MARY, b. 30 July, 1799; d. 8 Oct., 1874; m. in July, 1824, Francis Richard Horton, b. at Marblehead, 1795; d. 14 July, 1867.

Children of Francis R. and Mary (Danforth) Horton:

1. *Lucy Ann Horton*, b. 1824; d. 1825.
2. *Richard Horton*, b. at Lynn, 1 Feb., 1826; d. 16 Aug., 1882: m. (1) in 1852, Jane Russ; m. (2) in 1860, Sarah F. Smith.
3. *Hannah Maria Horton*, b. 29 Sept., 1828; m. 27 Nov., 1851, Stephen P., son of Stephen and Elizabeth (Jacobs) Coates. He was a mason; worked for D. H. Jacobs & Co., 40 years.

   Ch.:

   (1) Walter Coates, b. 23 Dec., 1852; d. 16 July, 1860.
   (2) Arthur B. Coates, b. 3 July, 1854; manufacturer of holiday goods; res. Cliftondale.
   (3) Clarence Coates, b. 9 Oct., 1856; m. in June, 1884, Susan F. Goodwin, who d. 4 Nov., 1896. Ch.: Alice Coates, b. 6 July, 1886.

4. *Mary Elizabeth Horton*, b. 25 Aug., 1831; m. in 1859, her cousin, William, son of Asa and Dorothy (Danforth) Tufts.

ix. LAVINIA, b. 2 Jan., 1802; m. Aaron T. Mills.

x. ELIZA, b. 1 Dec., 1804; d. 27 Nov., 1895; m. in July, 1826, Charles, son of Ebenezer and Sarah (McKenny) Jordan, b. in Danville, Me., 25 Oct., 1798, d. 14 June, 1873; was a farmer, residing in the part of old Danville now Auburn, Me.

Children of Charles and Eliza (Danforth) Jordan:

1. *Royal Stimpson Jordan*, b. 17 Nov., 1828; m. 1 Jan., 1852, Susan Jane Beal, b. 10 April, 1862, d. 15 Oct., 1871.

   Children:

   (1) Samuel Beal Jordan, b. 30 Oct., 1853; m. 30 Oct., 1875, Maggie Brown.
   (2) Eliza Ann Jordan, b. 20 June, 1856; m. 17 June, 1873, Seward T. Penley.
   (3) Sarah Jordan, b. 9 Sept., 1859; m. ——— Reed.
   (4) Ida Belle Jordan, b. 4 Aug., 1861; m. ——— Foss.

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2. *Lydia Maria Sweetser Jordan*, b. 14 Aug., 1831; m. at Lewiston, Me., as his second wife, George Hanson, b. in Dover, N. H., in Jan., 1825, d. in Dorchester, Mass., 10 Nov., 1897. He was a contractor and builder, of most excellent record. As a young man he removed to Malden, where he learned his business. During the war he was in the lumber business in the South, under government contracts. He afterward removed to Lewiston, Me., and became a contractor and builder of large structures in various parts of New England and New York, among which the City Hall and Pine St. Church in Lewiston and the Lockwood Cotton Mills at Waterville may be specially mentioned. Thirty churches were in the list. He was famed for integrity and thoroughness. He had a country seat at South Auburn, Me., and a residence at Dorchester, Mass., where Mrs. Hanson still resides.
3. *Lavinia Danforth Jordan*, b. 10 Oct., 1833; d. in Sept., 1894; m. Thomas Mansfield.
4. *Charles Jordan*, b. 24 March, 1834; d. in Iowa, 30 Dec., 1856.
5. *Eben Jordan*, b. 24 Aug., 1836; m. in 1865, Ellen Bedell; m. (2) 2 June, 1886, Sarah Pelham Larrabee. He is a wholesale dry goods merchant in Boston.
   Children:
   (1) Alvah Henry Jordan, b. in 1868; paper manufacturer, New York.
   (2) Clara M. Jordan, b. 1870.
6. *Hannah Hastings Jordan*, b. 14 Feb., 1838; d. 3 Nov., 1858.
7. *Caroline Tufts Jordan*, b. 20 Sept., 1840; d. in March, 1893; m. William Chapman; res. So. Auburn, Me.
   Children:
   (1) Caroline Chapman, b. at Westbrook, Me., 4 Nov., 1860; m. Dr. Donald; res. Gardiner, Me.
   (2) Lillian E. Chapman, b. 15 Oct., 1862; m. John P. Garcelon; res. Auburn, Me.
   (3) Carrie May Chapman, b. 1 May, 1869; m. Ernest Dyer; res. Auburn.
8. *Sarah Ringott Jordan*, b. 3 Feb., 1843; d. 24 Sept., 1858.
9. *Chandler Jordan*, b. 10 April, 1846; m. in Boston, 11 Jan., 1888, Florence Maude Blodgett, b. 3 Nov., 1861. Commission merchant in Boston; res. Dorchester.
   Children:
   (1) Clifford Leslie Jordan, b. 13 Sept., 1889.
   (2) Florence Madeline, b. 21 May, 1898.

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10 *Joshua Danforth Jordan*, b. 21 April, 1848; d. 24 Sept., 1851.

214. xi. JOHN, b. 4 March, 1807.

JOSHUA, Lynn. Private, Capt. Ezra Newhall's (Lynn) co. of Minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 15 days; *also*, Capt. Ezra Newhall's co., Col. John Mansfield's regt.; order for advance pay for 1 month dated Cambridge, June 8, 1775; *also*, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 4, 1775; service, 3 mos. 4 days; *also*, Capt. Newhall's co., Col. Mansfield's (19th) regt. commanded by Lieut. Col. Israel Hutchinson; company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Winter Hill, Nov. 4, 1775; *also*, Corporal; list of men belonging to Lynn, now called Lynn, Lynnfield and Saugus, who served at Concord battle and elsewhere [year not given]; *also*, Private, Capt Joseph Hiller's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's regt.; arrived at destination May 5, 1777; discharged July 5, 1777; service, 2 mos. 6 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; roll dated Camp at Providence; *also*, list of men raised in Essex Co. for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, returned as received of Jonathan Warner, Commissioner, by Brig. Gen. J. Glover, at Fort Arnold, July 9, 1778; arrived at Fishkill July 4, 1778; *also*, descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for the term of 6 months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justice Ely, Commissioner, by Brig. Gen. John Glover, at Springfield, July 11, 1780; age, 25 yrs.: stature, 5 ft. 8 in.; complexion, ruddy; engaged for town of Lynn; arrived at Springfield July 10, 1780; marched to camp July 11, 1780, under command of Capt. George Webb; *also*, list of men raised for the 6 months service and returned by Brig. Gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780; *also*, pay roll for 6 months men raised by the town of Lynn for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 27, 1780; discharged Dec 5, 1780; service, 5 mos. 20 days.

## 100.

BENJAMIN,[6] (*Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Lynnfield, 21 Feb., 1773; died there 29 June, 1854; married 24 Aug., 1795, Nellie Blanchard, born in Andover 4 Jan., 1776; died 21 June, 1854. He was a "cordwainer," *i.e.* a shoemaker. He and his wife "Nelly" sold a tract of land in Lynnfield 6 April, 1811.

Children:

i. NELLIE,[7] b. 12 Jan., 1796; d. unm., 6 Nov., 1812.

ii. LUCY, b. 26 Jan., 1797; m. 23 Aug., 1825, John Trull.

Children of John and Lucy (Danforth) Trull:

1. *Nancy Trull.* 2. *Mary Trull.*
3. *Silas Trull.* 4. *John Trull.*

iii. CYNTHIA, b. at Danvers, 16 March, 1800; d. 22 May, 1833; m. 25 May, 1823, George Smith.

iv. BENJAMIN, b. 24 Dec., 1801; d. 13 Jan., 1804.

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vi. MARY, b. 24 Dec., 1805; d. 15 July, 1828.
vii. STILLMAN, b. 4 Aug., 1809; d. 26 Feb., 1834; m. 22 June, 1831, Jane Kent Stimpson, who survived him and married second ——— Vinton; residence Wakefield, Mass.
viii. SYLVANUS, b. 13 Jan., 1811; d. 16 Sept., 1813.
ix. ELEANOR, b. at Reading, 24 Aug., 1813; d, 15 Oct., 1815.
x. ALICE BLANCHARD, b. 17 April, 1816; d. 5 Dec., 1842; m. 15 March, 1840, Alfred Copp, also born at Saugus.

## 101.

JOSHUA[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Western, now Warren, Mass., 26 Nov., 1759; died at Pittsfield, 30 Jan., 1837; married 15 Jan., 1786, Salome, daughter of Hon. David and Abigail (Bennett) Noble, of Williamstown; she died 30 May, 1814.

Joshua Danforth, hindered from obtaining the college education his father designed by the coming on of the War of the Revolution, received a valuable training while serving his country. As a boy of fifteen he entered the company of which his father had command and rose from corporal to surgeon's mate; was with the company at Bunker Hill; made ensign the next year; lieutenant 1778, paymaster and captain in 1781. Is said to have served at Ticonderoga, Saratoga, Valley Forge, Monmouth, and Tappan Bay. Received a pension of $240 *per annum* in 1818.

When in 1783 the army was disbanded, Col. Danforth was retained in service to assist in settling the soldiers' accounts, and was honorably discharged in 1784. In May of that year he engaged in business in Pittsfield in company with Col. Simon Larned. In 1786 with Judge Sedgwick he traversed Berkshire co. to allay excitement caused by Shay's rebellion. In 1787 was appointed aid-de-camp to Major General Patterson and the same year was commissioned Justice of the Peace by Governor Hancock. He was one of the associated officers of the army who founded the Society of the Cincinnati.

In 1794 was appointed by Washington, postmaster of Pittsfield; and he lived to be the oldest postmaster in the country. From about this time until 1823 he held the office of town clerk, treasurer, selectman, and assessor; was five years representative in the Legislature; in 1807 associate justice and in 1808 chief justice of the Court of Sessions; was appointed by Madison, U. S. marshal and also principal assessor and collector of revenue, 18th district of Massachusetts.

In 1827 and 1828 was elected member of the Governor's Council; was one of the building committee of the Congregational Church and was always prominent in works for the public good.

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Children:

i. MARIA,[7] b. 6 April, 1792; d. at Southampton, 24 Feb., 1860; m. 25 May, 1820, Gamaliel Pomeroy, farmer, of South Hampton.

ii. HENRIETTA, b. 20 Oct. 1793; d. 13 Oct., 1872, unm.

iii. HARRIET DEWEY, b. 8 Dec., 1795; m. 5 Nov., 1817, Rev. Jonathan Lee, of Otis. "A son is a physician; a daughter married a Congregational minister."

216. iv. JOSHUA NOBLE, b. 1 April, 1798.

v. SALOME, b. with preceding, d. 15 April, 1798.

vi. AMELIA, b. 4 July, 1801; d. in Pittsfield 15 Nov., 1874; m. in 1841 Titus Merriam Roberts, of Pittsfield, b. in Bristol, 1793; a hat and fur dealer; d. in Springfield 13 April, 1856. No children.

vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 5 May, 1804; m. Sarah Riggs; removed to Neosho, Mo. Left no children.

217. vii. SAMUEL ADAMS, b. with preceding, 5 May, 1804.

viii. SALOME ABIGAIL, b. 23 April, 1808; m. George William Stevens, of London.

ix. FRANCES ELIZABETH, b. 24 Nov., 1810; d. at Minneapolis, Minn., 23 Sept., 1893; m. (1) 15 July, 1828, Platt Theo. Burr, M.D., of Paterson, N. J.; he went to Avoyelles, La., and there died; she m. (2) 23 June, 1862, David Goodrich, a lumber merchant, New Albany, Ind., son of Rev. Charles Goodrich, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Children of Platt T. and Frances E. (Danforth) Burr:

1. *Ellen Celeste Burr*, b. 14 Aug., 1830; d. 9 Feb., 1878; m. July, 1847, James Smith Jelley, b. Rising Sun, Ind.; lawyer; Maj. 83d Ind. Vol. Inf. in War of Rebellion. Wounded at battle of Arkansas Post so that he was compelled to resign. U. S. commissioner at Leavenworth, Kan., in 1865. In 1873 returned to Rising Sun; d. 20 March, 1886.
2. *Frances Elizabeth Burr*, b. Aug., 1832; d. July, 1834.
3. *Frances Amelia Burr*, b. 26 Nov., 1834; m. Francis Kellogg Field.
4. *Mary Henrietta Burr*, b. 30 Nov., 1836; m. Marcus Watson Lewis.
5. *Washburn Clinton Burr*, b. 4 March, 1838; d. 14 Dec., 1882; m. (1) Caroline Nelson Donaldson; m. (2) Alice Ann Kane.
6. *John Danforth Burr*, b. 23 Sept., 1839; a Baptist minister; m. Emma Jane Lods.
7. *Platt Burr*, b. 13 March, 1844. [See Stewart's Hist. Montana.]

JOSHUA, Western (also given Brookfield). Corporal, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's co., Col. David Brewer's (9th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 5, 1775; service, 3 mos. 4 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; *also*, Capt Danforth's co., Col. Rufus Putnam's (late David Brewer's) 9th regt.; order for

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bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Roxbury, Nov. 14, 1775; *also*, Corporal, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's regt.; muster roll dated Camp at Ticonderoga, Nov. 27, 1776; appointed Jan. 1, 1776; promoted to Sergeant Oct. 5, 1776; *also*, return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Capt. Joseph Cutler's co., Col. James Converse's (4th Worcester Co.) regt., dated Western, Feb. 20, 1778; residence, Western (also given Brookfield); engaged for town of Western; joined Capt. Wellington's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; term, 3 years; *also*, Private, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Col. Calvin Smith's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from May 15, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; promoted to Sergeant March 1, 1778; reported as serving 9 mos. 15 days as Private, 22 mos. as Sergeant; *also*, Capt. Thomas Willington's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's regt.; enlisted May 15, 1777; service, 1 mo. 16 days; roll certified at Boston and made up for wages to July 1, 1777, payment of which had been refused by Jonathan Trumbull, P. M. G., at Albany, on account of said Danforth and others not having joined regiment before said date; *also*, Sergeant, same co. and regt.; muster roll for June, 1778, dated Camp Greenwich; *also*, same co. and regt.; pay abstract for Oct., 1778: *also*, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; *also*, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Col. Calvin Smith's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to April 15, 1780; promoted to Ensign April 15, 1780; *also*, Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's (12th) regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from April 15, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; reported as serving 3 mos. 15 days as Ensign, 5 mos. as Lieutenant; *also*, Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's (12th) regt.: list of officers promoted in the Continental Army; said Danforth commissioned April 16, 1780; *also*, Ensign, 12th regt.; certificate dated Boston, July 13, 1780, signed by Lieut. Asa Bullard, stating that said Danforth and other officers were in actual service at date of certificate; *also*, Ensign, (late) Col. Sprout's (12th) regt.; list of officers in actual service dated Jan. 17, 1781; *also*, Paymaster, 2d Mass. regt.; muster roll of field and staff officers for May and June, 1783; reported on command at West Point; *also*, Lieutenant, acting as Paymaster, Lieut. Col. Ebenezer Sprout's (2d) regt.; muster roll of field and staff officers dated Camp, July 11, 1783; reported on command at West Point; *also*, same regiment; returns from July 11, 1783, to Aug. 8, 1783, dated Philadelphia; reported acting as Paymaster at West Point; *also*, same regt.; return dated Philadelphia, Aug. 15, 1783; reported acting as Paymaster at New Windsor.

Joshua, Williamstown. Return of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Capt. Samuel Clark's (2 Williamstown) co. [year not given]; residence, Williamstown; engaged for Williamstown; joined Capt. McNeal's co., Col. Wigsworth's (Wigglesworth's) regt.; term 8 months; *also*, Capt. Thomas Willington's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; muster return [year not given]; mustered by Trueman Wheler.

Joshua (Danford). List of men mustered between January 20, 1777, and June 1, 1778, by Trueman Wheler, muster master for Berkshire Co.; Capt. Whittenton's company; term 3 years or during the war.

## 102.

"Col." Jonathan[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Nicholas*[1]), was born in Western 2 Ma[illegible] Georgia, Vt., 19 Jan., 1847–8; married 14 N[illegible]

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daughter of David Johnson, of Williamstown, born 6 Aug., 1766, died 25 Aug., 1836. As a child he went with his parents to Williamstown; then removed to St. Albans, Vt., and later to Georgia, on the Lamoile river, in the same state. Was a soldier of the Revolution, and received, 1818–1834, a pension of $96 *per annum*.

Children:

i. PHEBE MARIA,[7] b. 14 Oct., 1785; died of consumption 16 Sept., 1827; m. at her father's house in Georgia, about 1802, Reuben Wood, b. in Bennington, 16 Oct., 1779, died of typhoid fever 26 June, 1827.

Children of Reuben and Phebe M. (Danforth) Wood:

1. *Hannah Wood*, b. 12 Dec., 1804; m. in 1830, E. White; rem. to Michigan, where both d. in 1836.
2. *Dr. John Danforth Wood*, b. 8 Oct., 1806; M. D. Univ. Vt., 1830; d. at Yankton, So. Dak., 20 Oct., 1887; m. 30 May, 1831, Jane Maria Merrill, b. 10 Aug., 1811; d. 30 July, 1880. She was a dau. of Derrick and Rhoda (Whitney) Merrill. He practised medicine many years at Lancaster, Wis. Rem. in 1872 to Yankton, S. D., buying and selling land, loaning money, etc. His daughter, Eleanor Maria Wood, b. 3 April, 1836; m. 4 Sept., 1860, Wm. Pitt Dewey, b. 30 July, 1833. He was Asst. Surgeon 41 Wis. Vol. Inf., 1864.
3. *Rev. Charles Henry Wood*, b. 11 Nov., 1808; m. Maria, dau. of Capt. Milton N. and Fannie (Stannard) Torrey. Preached in Grant co., Wis., 1834–1848.
4. *David Johnson Wood*, b. 16 Oct., 1810; d. 1834; m. Emily Gillett of Fairfax, Vt.
5. *Celia Wood*, m. 8 Feb., 1835, Dexter Ward; d. at St. Louis, Mo., 9 Nov., 1894.
6. *Dr. Enos Parker Wood*, m. (1) Marion Cleveland; m. (2) Mrs. Voorhies; d. at Roseville, Cal., 9 Feb., 1889.
7. *Rev. Reuben Richardson Wood*, b. 10 Dec., 1819; m. (1) March 1, 1848, Rebecca Titsworth, who d. 4 March, 1853; m. (2) her sister, Sarah Ann Titsworth. Capt. 2d Regt. and 53d regt. Wis. V. I., mustered out 18 Aug., 1865. Educated for the ministry, and preached at Clear Lake, Ia.
8. *Myron Winslow Wood*, b. 1 Nov., 1823; m. (1) Mary Love Densmore, b. Tarrytown, N. Y. 1819; d. Lancaster, Wis., 1862; m. (2) Mrs. Pamelia (Whitney) McKee, b. Commerce co., Ill., 10 Sept., 1833. He was a major in the Civil War.
9. *Edwin Wood*, m. Elizabeth Pickett; rem. to New Orleans in 1849; d. at Baton Rouge about 1853.

218. ii. DAVID JOHNSON, b. 24 Jan., 1788.
219. iii. JONATHAN REED, b. 3 Jan., 1790.

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220. iv. HENRY KEYES, b. 3 April, 1792.
221. v. WILLIAM, b. 27 March, 1794.
vi. LYDIA HENRIETTA, b. 22 March, 1796; d. 26 Aug., 1833; m. at St. Johnsbury, Dr. —— Page of Waterville, Vt.

Child of Dr. and Lydia H. (Danforth) Page:

*Adelia H. Page*, m. in 1854, Hon. Luke Potter Poland, eldest son of Luther and Nancy (Potter) Poland, b. in Westford, Vt., 1 Nov., 1815; d. 1 July, 1887. He studied law; was admitted to the bar of Lamoile co., in 1836. Was elected judge of the Supreme Court in 1842 and sixteen subsequent years; resigned in 1865 to accept the appointment of U. S. Senator to succeed Judge Collamer. As a jurist he was able and discriminating; by his high sense of justice and courtly bearing he gained large influence.

vii. CLARISSA, b. 21 March, 1799; d. 26 Aug., 1848; m. as his second wife, Curtis Wilkinson. He d. 11 March, 1850. [See below, ix.]

Children of Curtis and Clarissa (Danforth) Wilkinson:

1. *Sarah Louisa Wilkinson*, b. 8 Oct., 1830; d. 27 March, 1854; m. Dr. Crouch.
2. *Charlotte Ann Wilkinson*, b. 28 March, 1832.
3. *George Curtis Wilkinson*, b. 22 Aug., 1834; m. 3 Jan., 1854, Maria P. Bullard; res. Keeseville, N. Y.
4. *Jonathan Danforth Wilkinson*, b. 5 March, 1840; res. Plattsburg, N. Y.

viii. E. PORTER, b. 24 Nov., 1801; d. 9 Sept., 1881; m. Paulina Kingsbury.
ix. ABIGAIL LOUISA, b. 18 March, 1804; d. 14 Sept., 1827; m. Curtis Wilkinson (his first wife).

Child of Curtis and Abigail L. (Danforth) Wilkinson:

*Maria Porter Wilkinson*, b. 2 Aug., 1825.

x. CHARLOTTE ANN, b. 19 Aug., 1806; d. unm. 3 Aug. 1831.

JONATHAN, Jr. Private, Capt. Jonathan Danforth's co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's regt.; muster roll dated Camp at Ticonderoga, Nov. 27, 1776; enlisted Nov. 24, 1775; reported on furlough by leave of Gen. Gates.

JONATHAN. List of 9 months men mustered by Thomas Newhall, Muster Master for Worcester Co.; Capt. Nye's co., Col. Grout's regt.; mustered July 2, 1779; engaged for town of Barre; *also*, descriptive list of men raised for Continental service as returned by Seth Washburn, Superintendent for Worcester Co.; Capt. Nye's co., Col. Grout's regt.; age, 36 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 9 in.; complexion, dark; marched July 21, 1779.

JONATHAN. Private, Capt. Israel Harris's co., Col. Benjamin Symond's (Berkshire Co.) regt.; enlisted Oct. 26, 1780; discharged Oct. 31, 1780; service, 9 days, travel included; company marched to the Northern frontier by order of Gen. Fellows on an alarm; *also*, Sergeant, Capt. Samuel Sloan's co., Col. Asa Barns's regt.; entered ser-

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vice Oct. 11, 1781; service, 14 days, 4 days travel allowed in addition; company marched from Berkshire Co. by order of Gen. Stark on an alarm at Saratoga. (See also 44, 92*a* and 97*a*.)

## 103.

COOWIE or COWEE[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 19 Jan., 1776; died there 3 Aug., 1850; married Clarissa, daughter of Col. Samuel Tyler of W., born 1783, died 28 June, 1858. He was a farmer and butcher.

Children:

i. ACHSA,[7] m. Harry Dunning, of Pownal, Vt.

ii. JONATHAN, b. 1803; d. at Russell, O., 1879; removed to the Black River country; m.; after years sent invitation to his brother William to attend his golden wedding. Visits were exchanged later.

iii. MARSHALL; also removed to the Black River country.

iv. SAMUEL, m. (1) Cynthia Crandall; m. (2) Almira Temple. He d. about 1881.

Children:

1. *Tyler*,[8] b. 1830; m. (1) Ellen Sherman; m. (2) Harriet Smith; he is a manufacturer in Williamstown; served in the war of the Rebellion.

Children:

(1) Blanche.[9]

(2) Cynthia, m. Marshall Clifford Danforth.

2. *Amanda*, b. 1839; m. Henry Temple, of Watertown. Had a son who went West, but returned and took his father's farm. The widow res. in Pownal, Vt.

3. *David*, b. 1833; m. Harriet Jepson; d. 1875.

v. WILLIAM, b. 1810; d. 17 Dec., 1885; m. (1) Betsey Kimball, of Williamstown; m. (2) Eliza Sanders, of same place.

Children:

1. *Mary*,[8] b. 1838; d. unm. 1860.

2. *Henry Erving*, b. 1843; d. 24 Nov., 1883; m. Mary Allen of W.

Child:

Stella.[9]

3. *Marshall Clifford*, b. 1845; d. 6 Nov., 1883; m. Cynthia, dau. of his cousin Tyler Danforth.

vi. JAMES, m.; had daus. Ruth and Jane.

vii. CLARISSA, b. 1819; d. 20 Sept., 1845; m. Rev. Geo. R. Entee (Williams Coll. 1842).

viii. AMBROSE, b. 1822; Will. Coll. 1844; Pittsfield Med. Sch. 1847. Settled in Tennessee: was surgeon in Union Army in War of the Rebellion. Family,—particulars wanting.

ix. MILTON, d. unm.

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KEYES[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 6 June, 1778; died there 6 Oct., 1851; married in 1800, Mary, daughter of Ephraim Bushnell, of Saybrook, Conn., born 28 Sept., 1784, died 27 Jan., 1867. He was for three years county commissioner; represented his district in the Legislature several years; was widely known and esteemed for his sound judgment and firmness of purpose. Of his children three sons were lawyers and the four sisters all married men of the same profession.

Children:

223. i. CHARLES,[7] b. 5 Feb., 1804.

ii. EPHRAIM BUSHNELL, b. 11 June, 1806; d. 17 Aug., 1853; m., 4 Sept., 1837, Elizabeth Pingry Foster, b. 22 June, 1816. No children.

224. iii. GEORGE, b. 24 July, 1808.

iv. MARY BUSHNELL, b. 31 Aug., 1811; d. at Washington, D. C., 27 Jan., 1893; m. Dec.. 1838, Hon. Abram B. Olin, b. Dec., 1810; Williams Coll. 1835; member Congress from Rensellaer district four terms; during the war for the Union chairman of Com. on the Conduct of the War; judge of Supreme Court of District of Columbia till he was 70 years of age. He d. at Washington, but was buried at Williamstown. No children.

v. HANNAH MARIA, b. 20 Oct., 1815; m. Feb., 1841, Hon. Joseph White, b. at Charlemont, 18 Nov., 1811; Williams Coll. 1836; tutor there 1839–40; studied law in Troy, N. Y., with Hon. Martin I. Townsend, M.C.; partner of Mr. Olin until 1848; supt. Mass. Mills, Lowell; state senator 1856; Bank Commissioner under Gov. Banks; Sec. Board of Education; treasurer and secretary Williams Coll. and trustee many years; d. 21 Nov., 1890.

vi. HARRIET NEWELL, b. 14 April, 1818; d. 30 April, 1859; m. 8 Aug., 1844, Col. George Huntington Browne, of Providence, R. I., son of Elisha and Phebe (Bowditch) Browne, b. at Gloucester, R. I., 6 Jan., 1818; d. at Providence, 26 Sept., 1885; Brown Univ. 1840; read law with Hon. Samuel Y. Atwell; was admitted to the bar in 1843; had extensive practice. Member State Assembly 1842 and 1859; member 37th Congress, U. S.; U. S. District Attorney 1853–1860; delegate to Democratic Convention at Charleston, S. C., 1860; Colonel 12th Regt. R. I. Vol. Inf.; State Senator 1872; elected Chief Justice Supreme Court of R. I., but ill health forbade his acceptance.

Children of George H. and Harriet H. (Danforth) Browne:

1. *Keyes Danforth Browne*, b. 14 Dec., 1846; m. 30 July, 1876, at Ogden, U., Bertha, dau. of Samuel and

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Catherine (Thomas) Burt, b. at Lynne, U., 26 July, 1856.

2. *Chad Elisha Browne*, b. 21 Oct., 1845; d. 7 Oct., 1850.
3. *Mary Bushnell Browne*, b. 27 Oct., 1850; m. in Aug., 1870, Jacob Maus Schermerhorn, of Syracuse, N. Y., some time treas. of Terra Cotta Co. of Ravenswood, L. I.

225. vii. KEYES, Junior, b. 11 Jan., 1822.

viii. HELEN AUGUSTA, b. 30 Aug., 1828; m. in Sept., 1855, Asahel C. Geer, of Troy, N. Y., lawyer; collector of Rens. district under Pres. Lincoln; sec. W. A. Wood Mowing and Reaping Machine Co., &c. [See Am. Monthly Mag., Nov., 1893.]

Children of Asahel C. and Helen A. (Danforth) Geer:

1. *Walter Geer*, b. 19 Aug., 1857; Williams Coll. 1878; president Terra Cotta Co., Ravenswood, L. I.; m. 26 Sept., 1883, Mary, dau. of Alonzo B. Potter, of N. Y. City.
2. *Danforth Geer*, b. 25 May, 1859; Wms. Coll. 1879; m. 6 June, 1888, Amy, dau. of Willard Gay, of Troy, N. Y., b. 9 Feb., 1861. Ass. sec. Wood Machine Co.

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(1) Danforth Geer, Jr., b. 12 April, 1889.
(2) Augusta Danforth Geer, b. 5 Dec., 1892.

## 105.

WILLIAM WOODWARD[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 13 June, 1787; farmer; lived and died at Sodus, N. Y. He married Cynthia Noble.

Children:

i. ERASTUS NOBLE,[7] b. 6 Nov., 1811; unm.
ii. HOMER, b. 10 Oct., 1813; m.; no children.
iii. JULIA ANN, b. 25 May, 1815.
iv. MARIA, } d. before 1828.
v. GEORGE, }
vi. FANNY, b. 8 July, 1823.
vii. HARRIET M., b. 15 June, 1825.
viii. EMILY B., b. 15 March, 1829.

## 106.

JACOB[6] (*Jacob*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 17 Aug., 1746; removed to Hollis, N. H.; "enlisted in Capt. J. Stickney's co. and served at Bunker Hill"; enlisted June 28, 1780, and "served 6 months in Continental Army." Mustered by Maj. Wm. Scott. [N. H. Rev. Rolls].

He married 13 Jan., 1768, Anna, daughter of John and Rebecca Connella, born at Woburn.

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Children:

i. JACOB,[7] b. 20 March, 1769.
ii. TIMOTHY, b. 2 June, 1771.
iii. ANNA, b. 9 March, 1773.

JACOB, Hollis (also given Wilmington). Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 25, 1775; service, 3 mos. 14 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, Muster Master for Suffolk Co., dated Boston, April 27, 1777; Capt. Bancroft's co., Col. Jackson's regt.; term, 3 years; *also*, Private, Capt. Ebenezer Cleavland's co., Col. Michael Jackson's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 15, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence, Hollis (also given Wilmington); credited to town of Wilmington; *also*, Major's co., Col. Michael Jackson's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Feb. 12, 1780. [See also Appendix.]

## 107.

JESSE[6] (*Jacob*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 26 May, 1748; married 9 Feb., 1769, Hulda Hosmer. Served at Bunker Hill* in company with his brother Jacob.

* JESSE (also given JEZANIAH), Billerica (also given Templeton). Capt. Solomon Pollard's (Billerica) co.; list of men in camp at Cambridge dated May 1, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. Jonathan Stickney's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 mos. 7 days; *also*, company return dated Cambridge, Sept. 25, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, return of men engaged for Continental service from Capt. Edward Farmer's co., 7th Middlesex Co. regt., dated Feb. 16, 1778; residence, Billerica; engaged for town of Billerica; joined Capt. Danforth's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; term, during war; *also*, Private, 7th co., Col. Thomas Nixon's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from April 7, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, Capt. Elijah Danforth's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; return of men in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777, certified in Camp near Peekskill, Feb. 16, 1779; *also*, Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's co., Col. Thomas Nixon's (5th) regt.; muster roll for May, 1779, dated Highlands; reported tending the sick in general hospital; *also*, Lieut. Col. Smith's co., 6th regt.; return for bounty due men who enlisted to serve during the war prior to Jan. 1, 1779, dated Highlands, Aug. 7, 1779; *also*, receipt for money signed by said Danforth, dated Camp Bedford, Sept. 29, 1779; *also*, Private, Lieut. Col. Smith's co., Col. Nixon's (6th) regt.; pay abstracts for Aug.-Oct., 1779; *also*, Lieut. Col. Daniel Whiting's co., Col. Nixon's (6th) regt.; pay abstracts for Nov. and Dec., 1779, dated Soldier's fortune; *also*, Lieut. Colonel's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; return for clothing for the year 1780, dated Peekskill, Dec. 5, 1779; also, Lieut. Colonel's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; reported invalided; *also*, Capt. Abel Holden's (Light Infantry) co., 6th regt.; receipt for clothing dated July 8, 1780; *also*, Lieut. Col. Daniel Whiting's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; pay abstracts for Jan.-Sept., 1780; *also*, Capt. Moses McFarland's

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DAVID[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 26 Nov., 1752; died 4 July, 1827; married Elizabeth Pierce, of Hillsboro, N. H. (sister of Gov. Benjamin Pierce, the father of President Franklin Pierce), she died 6 July, 1817.

He was a farmer and blacksmith. Resided first at Chelmsford, where his children were born; then removed to Amherst, N. H., before 1788, and carried on a farm at the place called Danforth's Corners, where there is now a railroad station. In 1795 he bought the tavern there. Was a member of the board of selectmen.

DAVID, Chelmsford. Private, Capt. Oliver Barron's co., Col. David Greene's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days; *also*, Capt. John Ford's co. of volunteers, Col. Jonathan Reed's regt.; enlisted Sept. 27, 1777; discharged Nov. 8, 1777; service, 43 days; company marched Sept. 30, 1777, to reinforce Northern army.

Children:

226. i. JESSE,[7] b. at Chelmsford, 27 Aug., 1776.
227. ii. TIMOTHY, b. 2 April, 1778.
228. iii. BENJAMIN PIERCE, b. 22 Feb., 1780.
iv. ELIZABETH, b. 21 Feb., 1782.
228*a*. v. DAVID, b. 11 May, 1784.
vi. SUSAN, m. Eugene Hutchinson, of Milford, N. H.

Children of Eugene and Susan (Danforth) Hutchinson:

1. *Eugene Hutchinson.*
2. *Susan Hutchinson.*
3. *Eliza Hutchinson.*

vii. REBECCA, m. Benjamin Kendrick.

Children of Benjamin and Rebecca (Danforth) Kendrick:

1. *John Kendrick*, d. young.
1. *John Kendrick*, m. Clara Bussey.
3. *Benjamin Kendrick*, m. Mary Gilson.
4. *Sophia Kendrick*, m. George Cushing, of Brooklyn, N. Y.
5. *Rufus Kendrick*, m. Nancy Farnham.
6. *Frank Kendrick*, d. young.
7. *Rachel Antoinette Kendrick*, m. (1) Benjamin Franklin Danforth; m. (2) M. Noyes.
8. *Sarah P. Kendrick*, b. in Amherst, N. H., 1830; m. (1) 26 Oct., 1849, Willard Danforth, b. at Waltham in 1827;

corps of invalids stationed at Boston; pay abstracts for Oct.-Dec., 1780; *also*, descriptive list of enlisted men dated Jan. 11, 1781; Lieut. Col. Whiting's (also given Capt. Pike's) co., Col. Thomas Nixon's regt.; age, 32 (also given 31) yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, light; hair, light; occupation, cabinet maker: residence, Billerica; enlisted in 1777, by Capt. Danforth; enlistment, during war; reported transferred to corps of invalids at Boston Jan. 1, 1781.

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d. at Amherst, N. H., 28 March, 1859; she m. (2) Dr. Emery Clark.

9. *Henry Kendrick*, m. Sarah L. Plummer.

## 109.

SOLOMON[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*[3], *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 12 Jan. 1756; died at Merrimack, N. H., 31 May, 1833; married 29 March, 1781, Sarah Cummings, born 28 July, 1764, she died 9 Jan., 1842.

He was a private in Lieut. Benj. Bower's Co., that marched from Merrimack to Ticonderoga, June 30, 1777; and in Capt. James Ford's Co., of Moses Nicholas's regt., raised for more permanent service 20 July, 1777. [N. H. Rev. Rolls.]

Children:

229. i. SOLOMON,[7] b. 27 March, 1782.

ii. SARAH, b. 20 March, 1784; d. at Merrimack, N. H., 26 July, 1860; m. 13 Sept., 1803, Daniel Chandler, of Merrimack b. 4, March, 1777, d. 25 March, 1849.

Children of Daniel and Sarah (Danforth) Chandler:

1. *Fanny Chandler*, b. at Merrimack, 15 Dec., 1803; d. at Haverhill, 26 Nov., 1848.
2. *Susan Osgood Chandler*, b. 11 Sept., 1805; d. at Ashburnham, 24 Aug., 1877.
3. *Solomon D. Chandler*, b. 29 July, 1807; d. at Portland, Me., 29 April, 1854.
4. *Abigail B. Chandler*, b. 18 Feb., 1809; m. 7 July, 1836, at Lowell, Charles Follansbee.
5. *Richard B. Chandler*, b. 16 May, 1811; d. at Lowell, 23 Aug., 1835.
6. *Eliza Ann Chandler*, b. 22 July, 1813; d. 7 Jan., 1835.
7. [*Myrta*] *Chandler*, b. 31 Aug., 1815.
8. *Daniel Hiram Chandler*, b. 17 April, 1818; m. 19 Dec., 1841, Mary Ann Moulton.
9. *Leafy D. Chandler*, b. 24 March, 1820; d. 14 July, 1845.
10. *Samuel Chandler*, b. 7 May, 1822; d. at Nashua, N. H., 15 Dec., 1851.
11. *Susan W. Chandler*, b. 3 July, 1824.
12. *Laura J. Chandler*, b. 7 Jan., 1827.

230. iii. SIMEON CUMMINGS, b. 31 March, 1786.

iv. MARY, b. 17 Sept., 1788; d. at Merrimack, 23 Nov., 1860; m. 23 Dec., 1813, Wm. McCluer, b. 9 July, 1786, d. 12 April, 1876.

Children of William and Mary (Danforth) McCluer:

1. *Charles E. McCluer*, b. 27 Oct., 1814; m. Lucinda Shattuck.

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2. *Rufus McCluer*, b. 6 Feb., 1817; d. 24 Jan., 1818.
3. *Mary McCluer*, b. 7 Jan., 1819.
4. *Newton McCluer*, b. 7 Jan., 1823; m. Hepzibah C. Swain.
5. *George McCluer*, b. 26 June, 1826; m. Nancy W. Stinson.

231. v. RUFUS, b. 25 Feb., 1791.

vi. LEPHE [RELIEF], b. 21 March, 1793; d. unm., 19 Sept., 1814.

vii. JOANNA, b. 21 March, 1793, twin with preceding; d. at Haverhill, Mass., 21 Sept., 1851; m. 13 Oct., 1811, Caleb Woodward, of Haverhill, b. 14 Jan., 1792, d. 28 July, 1877.

Children of Caleb and Joanna (Danforth) Woodward:

1. *Mary Ann Woodward*, b. 1814, d. 25 Nov., 1871; m. James A. Bartlett; he d. 27 Aug., 1864.
2. *Eliza Woodward*, b. 30 Jan., 1824.
3. *Charles D. Woodward*, b. 19 Aug., 1826; m. 26 Oct., 1851, Melissa Chase, b. 20 Dec., 1832.
4. *George W. Woodward*, b. 16 Oct., 1828.

viii. ASENATH, b. 18 Feb., 1796; d. 3 May, 1858; m. 27 Dec., 1817, Oliver, son of Oliver and Abigail (Nourse) Spaulding, b. 23 May, 1791, d. 30 Aug., 1875.

Children of Oliver and Asenath (Danforth) Spaulding:

1. *Abigail Nourse Spaulding*, b. 15 Dec, 1819; m. 1 Sept., 1846, Wm. J. Parker, b. 10 Nov., 1822.
2. *John Lund Spaulding*, b. 19 Jan., 1821; d. 24 Dec., 1883; m. 16 March, 1846, Sarah Sawin Barrett Bowers, b. 4 July, 1820.
3. *Hosea Ballou Spaulding*, b. 22 Oct., 1824; m. 10 June, 1847, Dorcas Marshall, b. at Tunbridge, Vt., 5 Dec., 1820; res. Nashua, N. H.
4. *Oliver Perry Spaulding*, b. 11 Jan., 1828; d. young.

ix. HANNAH, b. 20 July, 1798; d. 29 Sept., 1868; m. 2 Dec., 1821, Hermon, son of John and Rhoda (Shed) Rogers, b. at Billerica, 26 June, 1792; rem. to Amesbury, where he d. 17 Oct., 1878.

Children of Hermon and Hannah (Danforth) Rogers:

1. *Hannah Prince Rogers*, b. 18 Dec., 1822; m. 1 June, 1847, Samuel S. Blodgett, of Amesbury.
2. *Francis Danforth Rogers*, b. 7 Jan., 1826; res. Nashua, N. H.
3. *John Frederick Rogers*, b. 29 Nov., 1829; a merchant in Boston (Sheldon and Rogers); d. 19 Sept., 1896; m. (1) Amanda L. Sheldon; m. (2) Frances L. Emery.

x. DORCAS, b. 23 July, 1801; d. 2 June, 1832; m. 26 Aug., 1824, Nathan Parker, of Merrimack.

Children of Nathan and Dorcas (Danforth) Parker:

1. *Sophronia Parker*, b. 24 Dec., 1827; m. 6 April, 1854,

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John Huntington, of Francestown, N. H.; she d. 19 Oct., 1901. Ch.:

E. P. Huntington, res. Nashua, N. H.

2. *Mary Danforth Parker*, b. 12 Nov., 1829; m. Charles E. Merrill; d. 31 May, 1901. Res. Nashua, N. H.

xi. SOPHIA, b. 7 June, 1803; d. 16 Sept., 1842; m. 6 May, 1821 (his second wife) Ephraim Elliot Lake, b. Haverhill, 5 Sept., 1790, d. 14 Sept., 1862.

Children of Ephraim E. and Sophia (Danforth) Lake:

1. *Edwin Hill Lake*, b. 5 Oct., 1822; m. 12 March, 1824, Jane, dau. of Abel Abbot of Stoughton, b. 12 March, 1824, d. Sept., 1863. He was a Universalist minister; went South before the War; d. at Richmond, Va., 22 Sept., 1862.
2. *Joseph Henry Lake*, b. 14 July, 1824; d. 3 Jan., 1897; m. Jane Maria McCrillis, of Skowhegan, Me.
3. *Samuel Lake*, b. 1826, d. 1827.
4. *George Woodward Lake*, b. 8 April, 1828; d. in Boston, 18 Feb., 1896; m. (1) Hilda ——; m. (2) Alice Eliza Hawkins.
5. *Sarah Lake*, b. 16 May, 1832; d. 1834.

Two other children d. in infancy.

xii. SOPHRONIA, b. 10 May, 1807; d. 28 Dec., 1880; m. 24 Jan., 1833, Walter Reed, of Merrimack, b. 1 April [1807], d. 26 Aug., 1881.

Children of Walter and Sophronia (Danforth) Reed:

1. *Walter S. Reed*, b. 28 Dec., 1834; m. 9 July, 1859, Amanda B. Clough, b. 6 Dec., 1843.
2. *Mary A. Reed*, b. 1837, d. 1838.
3. *Eliza A. Reed*, b. 14 June, 1840; m. 20 Nov., 1866, James L. Burgess, b. Brookline, N. H., 30 Dec., 1838.
4. *Charles Reed*, b. 20 Nov., 1843.
5. *Harriet Reed*, b. 4 April, 1847; m. Henry A. Lawrence, b. 21 July, 1845.

## 110.

CAPT. WILLIAM[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 31 July, 1757; died at Londonderry, N. H., 21 July, 1804; married first, 10 Nov., 1779, Lucy, daughter of Edward and Abigail (Prince) Pollard, born in Billerica, 18 June, 1761; died at Derry, N. H., 25 Dec., 1801. He married second, 9 May, 1802, Sarah Smith, who survived him and married second, 20 Jan., 1807, Walter Cheney. "He was in Bunker Hill"*

* WILLIAM, Billerica. Drummer, Capt. John Harnden's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridges' (27th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos., 8 days; *also*, company return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, order for bounty coat or its

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battle; was wounded in the shoulder; continued in service till Dec. following. He was a blacksmith; resided in Londonderry, N. H. With wife Sarah sold half the homestead of Andrew Smith, late of Ipswich, 10 Sept., 1802.

The inventory of the estate of Capt. William Danforth, late of Londonderry, was taken 20 and 24 Aug., 1804, on petition of his daughter Lucy. The oldest son, Simeon, took the real estate at the appraisal, promising to pay certain sums to the other heirs, viz.: Lucy, Patty, Orpha, Abigail, Sally Pollard and William, and Moody Morse was appointed guardian to all these except Lucy. The widow's dower was set off in December.

Children:

i. LUCY,[7] b. 16 Oct., 1780; d. at Salem, N. H., 1860; m. (1) 20 Jan., 1807, Daniel Warner, of Derry; m. (2) Joseph Gregg, b. 22 July, 1779, d. 14 Dec., 1853. Ch. Lucy D. Gregg, d. 16 Feb., 1816, unm.

232. ii. SIMEON, b. 2 Dec., 1783.

iii. PATTY, b. 26 April, 1785; died at Derry, 1812; m. Joshua Clark, a farmer, of Derry.

Child of Joshua and Patty (Danforth) Clark:

*William Danforth Clark*, b. 8 July, 1810; d. 14 Dec., 1882; m. in 1830, Almira E. Dodge, b. 27 Nov., 1814; 12 children, 11 of whom married.

iv. ORPHA, b. 2 Jan., 1789; m. 18 March, 1815, Oliver Lund, of Dunstable.

v. ABIGAIL PRINCE, b. 25 March, 1791; m. (1) 23 April, 1812, David Reed, of Bedford, b. 19 May, 1787; m. (2) Christopher Page, of Boxboro.

equivalent in money dated Dec. 28, 1775; *also*, list of men who received money from the public treasury for losses at battles of Lexington and Bunker Hill; amounts allowed in Council, June 13, 1776; *also*, Corporal, Capt. John Minot's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; arrived at Rhode Island May 10, 1777; discharged July 9, 1777; service, 2 mos., 8 days, travel included; roll dated Warwick Neck; *also*, private, Capt. Edward Farmer's co., Col. Jonathan Reed's regt.; enlisted Sept. 29, 1777; discharged Nov. 8, 1777; service, 41 days; company marched to reinforce Northern army; *also*, Capt. Edward Farmer's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; enlisted Feb. 20, 1778; service to May 20, 1778, 3 mos. at Bunker Hill; *also*, Capt. Joseph Bradley Varnum's co., Col. McIntosh's regt., Gen. Lovel's brigade; engaged July 29, 1778; discharged Sept. 11, 1778; service, 1 mo., 18 days, travel included, on expedition to Rhode Island; company detached to join Continental Army; roll dated Dracut; *also*, Capt. Moses Barnes's co., Lieut. Col. Samuel Peirce's regt.; enlisted May 17, 1779; service to July 1, 1779, 1 mo., 14 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment, 2 months; *also*, Capt. Solomon Pollard's co., Col. Samuel Denny's regt.; enlisted Oct. 23, 1779; discharged Dec. 4, 1779; service, 1 mo., 12 days, travel included; company detached to march to Claverack and join the Continental Army for 3 months; *also*, Capt. Amos Foster's co., Col. Cyprian How's regt.; enlisted July 28, 1780; discharged Oct. 30, 1780; service, 3 mos., 8 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; company detached from 7th Middlesex Co. regt. to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

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Children of David and Abigail P. (Danforth) Reed:

1. *Abigail Reed*, b. 6 Feb., 1813.
2. *Hannah Raymond Reed*, b. 14 Jan., 1823.

vi. SARAH (SALLY) POLLARD, b. 1 Dec., 1795; m. (1) April, 1817, William Reed, of Bedford; m. (2) Eliab B. Lane, of Bedford, b. 21 June, 1780; d. 9 Jan., 1853.

Children of William and Sarah P. (Danforth) Reed:

1. *William Danforth Reed*, b. 16 Dec., 1817.
2. *David Reed*, b. 18 June, 1819.
3. *Lucy Pollard Reed*, b. 25 Nov., 1821; m. —— Hartwell.

vii. MARY, m. —— Clark; ch. William Danforth Clark.

233. viii. WILLIAM, b. 7 Feb., 1799.

## 111.

ASA[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 15 Dec., 1759; married 14 March, 1781, Abigail, daughter of Edward and Abigail (Prince) Pollard, born 1 Sept., 1757. Residence Billerica.

He enlisted* in Col. Wm. Prescott's regt. and was in the battle of Bunker Hill, as were his cousins Jacob and Jesse and other relatives.

The widow Abigail died about 1783; administration of her estate was granted 10 June, 1783, to Ephraim Hayward (signature); consent was given 4 March, 1783-4, by her daughter Abigail, wife of Abel Fox, of Billerica; the latter died at about the same time and both estates were appraised the same day and reported upon the same paper. Asa and Francis, "sons of Asa and Abigail Danforth, deceased," requested the appointment of Jonas Gleason as their guardian, May 29, 1800.

Children:

i. ASA,[7] b. in Billerica, 24 Aug., 1781; living in 1800.

ii. FRANCIS, b. in Billerica, 15 June, 1783; d. 31 Oct., 1806; m. Abigail —, who survived him and m. (2) Jonas Gleason; on the death of her son, Francis Danforth, Jr., administration was granted 14 Nov., 1806, to Jonathan P. Pollard, the mother waiving her right.

## 112.

CAPT. JACOB[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 27 Feb., 1766; died at Amherst, N. H.,

* ASA, Billerica. Private, Capt. Joseph Moor's co., Col. William Prescott's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 28, 1775; service, 3 mos. 5 days; *also*, company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Camp at Cambridge, Dec. 29, 1775.

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15 Nov., 1851; married first, 16 April, 1787, Mehetabel Lovekin, born in 1767, died 24 Feb., 1804. He married second, Rebecca Fassett, born in 1778, died 2 Oct., 1810; and he married third, Mrs. Lydia (Farrar) Adams. He settled in Jaffrey, N. H.; his house was destroyed by fire in 1816, and he removed to Amherst.

Children:

i. OLIVER,[7] b. at Chelmsford, 22 June, 1788; unm.
ii. WILLIAM, b. 10 Aug., 1790; d. 14 June, 1836; was a stage driver; removed to Groton, Mass.
iii. KIMBALL, b. 14 April, 1792; bought land in Groton in 1819; m. Triphena F. ——, who signed a deed of land with him in 1825.

Child:

*Martha T.*,[8] "married Amasa E. Sanderson, a native of Littleton, N. H."

iv. POLLY, b. 16 Dec., 1794; d. 28 July, 1795.
v. EMILY, b. 11 Nov., 1795; m. 4 Dec., 1821, John Chase, of Groton.
234. vi. DAVID, b. 15 Aug., 1798.
vii. ORPHA, b. 31 Oct., 1800; unm.
235. viii. GEORGE, b. 30 April, 1807.
ix. MARY ANN, b. in 1808.
x. JACOB, b. in 1810; d. 17 July, 1839.

## 113.

JOHN[6] (*David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 27 Oct., 1768; died in March, 1813; married Elizabeth, daughter of Col. Wm. Gregg, "of Revolutionary fame," born in June, 1756, died 6 June, 1810. He settled in Dorchester, N. H.

Children:

i. DAVID,[7] b. 24 June, 1790.
ii. FANNY, b. at Londonderry, N. H., 12 March, 1792; m. 15 March, 1816, William Ball, b. Hebron, N. H., 23 Aug., 1792; d. in Grand Rapids, Mich., 17 Oct., 1871; she d. there 26 Aug., 1881.

Children of William and Fanny (Danforth) Ball:

1. *Eben Morris Ball*, b. at Hebron, 1 April, 1817; d. 30 Jan., 1892; m. 25 Sept., 1879, Sarah M., dau. of David and Sophia (Dickinson) Stillson.
2. *Betsey Ann Ball*, b. 4 July, 1821; d. 23 Oct., 1823.
3. *Rev. Jasper Newton Ball*, b. 19 April, 1826; d. 6 June, 1870; m. (1) July, 1853, Caroline Ward Smith, b. Chatham, N. H., 18 Feb., 1831, d. Oconto, Wis., 13 Dec., 1863; he m. (2) 2 Oct.. 1865, Martha Haines. He grad. Dart. Coll. 1849; ord. and went as mis-

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sionary to Turkey in 1853; served at Caesarea and Yozgat; ret. to this country on account of wife's failing health and here continued his ministerial labors.

Children:

(1) Fanny Danforth Ball, b. at Caesarea 29 Oct., 1857.

(2) Louisa Jewett Ball, b. at Yozgat 10 Dec., 1858.

(3) Carrie Josephine Ball, b. at Adrianople 30 Aug., 1866; m. Franklin Edwards.

(4) William Dearborn Ball, b. at Adrianople 6 Feb., 1868, an electrical engineer, Chicago, Ill.

iii. ELIZABETH NESMITH, b. in Londonderry, 20 Oct., 1793; d. 9 March, 1859; m. 9 April, 1819, Azel Washburn, b. at Lyme, N. H., 28 Sept., 1791; d. at Elyria, O., 3 Dec., 1867; son of Lebbeus and Mary (Sloane) Washburn; was a farmer, "intellectual and scholarly."

Children of Azel and Elizabeth N. (Danforth) Washburn:

1. *Azel Danforth Washburn*, b. Hanover, N. H., 31 May, 1820; d. at Camden, O., 10 Feb., 1842.

2. *Hon. George Gregg Washburn*, b. Orange, N. H., 24 Nov., 1821; d. Elyria, O., June, 1898; m. (1) 16 Feb., 1844, L. Melissa Hill, b. Clarkson, N. Y., 17 Feb., 1823, d. 12 Aug., 1855; m. (2) in 1856, Mrs. Sarah N. Oatman. Grad. Oberlin Coll.; studied law; was editor and propr. of Elyria Courier 42 years; sec. of military committee during the war; one of the founders and 6 years one of the managers of the Ohio State Reformatory.

Children:

(1) Celia Georgiana Washburn, b. 18 July, 1848; m. 18 Aug, 1875, H. L. Lathrop.

(2) Alice Eva Washburn, b. 22 Oct., 1852; m. 30 April, 1879, John Martin Vincent; she d. 21 Aug.. 1888.

3. *Frederick Smith Washburn*, b. at Orange, N. H., 21 June, 1823; d. at Waterloo, Ia., 16 June, 1863; m. 12 Aug., 1846, Harriet, dau. of Samuel and Laura B. (Kellogg) Spofford, b. at Ferrisburg, Vt., 12 March, 1825. He enlisted in the 9th Iowa V. I.; was chosen captain; commanded the regiment at the storming of Vicksburg and was mortally wounded; was brevetted brigadier general for conspicuous bravery, but died at his home in Iowa within a month.

Children:

(1) Florence Edwina Washburn, b. at Camden, O., 25 July, 1848.

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(2) William Elgin Washburn, b, 27 Sept., 1851.
(3), (4) and (5) died young.
(6) Frederick Francis, b. 11 Oct., 1861.

4. *Frances Elizabeth Washburn*, b. 27 April, 1827; d. 31 May, 1852.

iv. MARY GREGG, b. 28 Nov., 1795.

v. WILLIAM, b. 23 May, 1798.

vi. JOANNA REED, b. 10 March, 1800; d. 24 Jan., 1891; m. at Grafton, N. H., 24 Jan., 1825, Josiah Rhoades Holden, b. 22 Feb., 1797, d. at Grand Rapids, Mich., 18 March, 1887.

Mrs. Holden was a member of the Michigan Equal Suffrage Association, an active helper in the Congregational church, an ardent advocate of total abstinence from all intoxicants; maintained an extensive correspondence and had a wide influence for good; retained her faculties to the last of her long life. She was buried beside her husband at Grand Rapids, after services at the house of her son, Eben G. D. Holden.

Children:

1. *Josiah Danforth Holden*, b. in Boston, 20 Dec., 1825; d. at Kirkland, O., 13 Sept., 1832.
2. *William Wallace Holden*, b. 12 Oct., 1827; d. 23 April, 1872; m. (1) Angeline Yeomans, who d. 1 Nov., 1867; m. (2) Jane H., dau. of Nathaniel and Eunice Davenport, b. at Dryden, N. Y., 25 Nov., 1836.
3. *John Quincy Adams Holden*, b. at Groton, N. H., 25 Aug., 1829; d. at Kirkland, 11 Sept., 1832.
4. *Charles Henry Holden*, b. 18 April, 1832; m. 9 Feb., 1859, Fannie, dau. of Horatio and Elizabeth Brooks, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Studied law; was elected district attorney of Grand Traverse and adjacent counties; entered the service in the war of the Rebellion, as 1st lieut. of Co. A, 26th Mich. V. I.; had a position in the Treasury Dept. after the war; was elected president of the Washington city Council in 1870. Removed to Grand Rapids in 1878. Since the death of the parents resided in Seattle, Wash., until recently; now (1902) in Florence, Wash.
5. *Eben. Gregg Danforth Holden*, b. at Kirkland, O., 18 Feb., 1834; m. 24 Aug., 1858, Melissa Eliza Smith, b. at Marion, N. Y., 7 Dec., 1822. Resides at Grand Rapids, Mich.

   Children:

   (1) Charles Holden, b. 7 Feb., 1860; m. 22 Sept., 1891, Frances Cooke.
   (2) Henry Smith Holden. b. 24 June, 1861; m. Annie Finkler.
   (3) Mary Helen Holden, b. 10 May, 1866; m. Willis B. Perkins.

   Four other children died very young.

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6. *Frances Louisa Holden*, b. 19 Jan., 1838; m. (1) 5 Nov., 1856, E. H. Lockwood; he d. in the Western gold fields in 1859. She m. (2) 16 Sept., 1868, Smith W. Fowler, b. at Fly Creek, Otsego Co., N. Y., 5 April, 1829, a lawyer, editor and publisher, of Manistee, Mich. She studied at Albion Seminary; learned the printer's art and did much work in several newspaper offices, notably the N. W. Christian Advocate, and the Reconstructionist.

Child of E. H. and Frances L. (Holden) Lockwood:

Leon Ellsworth Lockwood, b. 4 March, 1858; m. in Dec., 1883, Grace Vaughan. Res. St. Louis, Mo.

Children of Smith W. and Frances L. (Holden) (Lockwood) Fowler:

(1) Frank Lincoln Fowler, b. 5 April, 1870; grad. Univ. of Mich.; m. 2 Jan., 1895, Stella R. Randolph.

(2) Angeline Holden Fowler, b. 5 Dec., 1872.

(3) Smith William Fowler, b. 4 July, 1875; d. 10 April, 1885.

vii. JOHN, b. at Londonderry, N. H., 26 Sept., 1802.

viii. EBENEZER GREGG, b. 5 Sept., 1805; d. at Terre Haute, Ind., about 1848.

## 114.

SAMUEL[6] (*Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]),* was born about 1772 [or 1781]; died 1839 [or 1840]; married 19 June, 1800, Phebe, daughter of Beriah and Tabitha (Fosket) Oakes, born in Bolton, 23 Dec., 1779; died 11 Oct., 1848.

He resided in Stow, where he bought and sold various tracts of land, 1826–1830, his wife Phebe signing some deeds with him. [Middlesex Deeds.]

Children:

i. TABITHA,[7] b. 14 Nov., 1800; d. 11 Jan., 1885; m. 27 April, 1826, Bryant Davoll, of Leominster, b. 3 April, 1802, d. 19 Dec., 1868.

Children of Bryant and Tabitha (Danforth) Davoll:

1. *George Davoll*, b. 24 Sept., 1828.
2. *Elmira Davoll*, b. 1 Jan., 1834.
3. *Hollis Davoll*, b. 1 Nov., 1840; m. 23 April, 1866, Frances Crocker, b. 20 April, 1841.

* The compiler received this pedigree from the family, but has not been able to verify it by public records.

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ii. PHEBE, b. 5 Jan., 1803; m. 12 April, 1830, Elijah Flagg Taylor.
Children of Elijah F. and Phebe (Danforth) Taylor:

1. *Charles Hollis Taylor*, b. in Marlboro, 24 Jan., 1831; m. 20 Aug., 1857, Elvira M., dau. of Abel and Charlotte Wilson; res. Ashburnham.
2. *Horatio Foster Taylor*, b. in Bolton, 1 May, 1837; d. Fort Collins, Colo., 22 Feb., 1878; m. 10 Jan., 1862, Matilda C., dau. of Ira and Polly Taft; W. Bridgewater, Vt.
3. *Caroline Rebecca Thompson Taylor*, b. 20 June, 1839; m. 19 Nov., 1861, Geo. A. Cozzens (son of Joseph and Sarah) of Leominster.

236. iii. OCTA, b. Sept., 1809.

iv. EUNICE, b. 4 Jan., 1811; d. 6 Sept., 1871; m. Dexter Russell; resided in Richland, Wis.

v. CLARISSA, b. 16 Jan., 1813; m. 6 July, 1834, Jacob Flavel Moore, b. 1 Nov., 1810, d. 5 June, 1852; buried in Bolton.
Children of Jacob F. and Clarissa (Danforth) Moore:

1. *Horace Haven Moore*, b. 5 June, 1835; d. in Lowell, 21 June, 1854.
2. *Lewis Moore*, b. 7 Oct., 1836; removed to Chile, So. America, and married there, in 1860, Martina, dau. of Manuel Bravo de los Reyes, lieut.-gen. in the Chilian war of Independence. Mr. Moore served as engineer in the Chilian navy in 1866 and 1878; perished in the wreck of his ship in the bay of Valparaiso in 1881. His residence was at Paradones, province of Curico.
Children of Lewis and Maritana (Reyes) Moore:
(1) Aurelia Moore, b. 1862.
(2) Luis Moore, b. 1863; d. of illness contracted in war with Peru in 1879.
(3) Victor Manuel Lewis, b. 1864. An officer and writer of distinction.
(4) Edwardo Moore, b. 1866; m. 1892, Elvira Montero. A highly educated and distinguished surgeon and writer, of international repute. Came to the United States as a representative of his government to study the medical department of our army in 1899, and visited Boston to see Mr. May, with whom he had already corresponded about his ancestry.
(5) Julie Moore, b. 1867, d. 1878.
3. *John F. Moore*, b. 15 Aug., 1838; m. 3 Nov., 1861, Martha Jane, dau. of John and Lucinda Eastman, of Richmond, Me.

vi. FOSKET, b. 4 March, 1815; d. 1870; m. Sarah E. Pratt, of Harvard.

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Child:

*Sarah Phebe*,[8] b. 24 Nov., 1850; m. 27 Sept., 1871, Leonard Marshall Harris, b. 30 Oct., 1850.

Children:

(1) Mabel Florence Harris, b. 12 April, 1873.
(2) Sarah Edith Harris, b. 28 June, 1875.
(3) Arthur Morton Harris, b. 8 Feb., 1878.

237. vii. HOLLIS, b. 11 May, 1818.
238. viii. DANIEL, b. 28 Feb., 1822.

## 116.

SAMUEL[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 11 May, 1759; resided in Fitchburg with his father some time; a Revolutionary soldier.* The age, "26" of one record, may be clerical error for 20. Received a pension of $96 per annum 1821–1834. Died at Saratoga Springs, 15 April, 1838; married 17 Aug., 1780, Sarah Ingraham. [Information chiefly from Dr. B. L. Hovey, of Rochester, N. Y., husband of a granddaughter, Permelia, dau. of Jonathan.]

Children (order uncertain):

239. i. JONATHAN,[7] b. at Saratoga, N. Y., 25 Dec., 1781.
ii. ABRAM. "Lived in Boston; a merchant; died unm. on return voyage from East Indies."
240. iii. REUBEN.
iv. FRANCIS.

* SAMUEL. Capt. William Wyman's co., Col. John Paterson's (26th) regt.; order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Dec. 16, 1775; *also*, Private, Capt. John Joslin's co., Col. Job Cushing's (Worcester Co.) regt.; service, 1 mo. 7 days, travel included; company marched from Leominster the last of July, 1777, to join Col. Seth Warner at Bennington; *also*, Capt. William Thurlo's co.; service, 25 days under Maj. Ebenezer Bridge at Saratogo, agreeable to resolve of Sept. 22, 1777; roll sworn to in Worcester Co.

SAMUEL. List of 9 months men mustered by Thomas Newhall, Muster Master for Worcester Co.; Capt. Inglesbe's (Ingoldsby's) co., Col. Cushing's regt.; engaged for town of Shrewsbury; mustered July 12, 1779; *also*, Private, Capt. John Spurr's co., Col. Thomas Nixon's (6th) regt.; pay rolls for Aug.–Nov., 1779.

SAMUEL (DANFORD), Fitchburg, Private Capt. William Wyman's co., Col. John Paterson's regt.; muster roll dated Aug, 1, 1775; enlisted May 24, 1775; service 2 months, 12 days; *also* co. return [probably October, 1775.]

SAMUEL (DANFORT). Descriptive list of men raised to serve in Continental Army, as returned by Seth Washburn, superintendent for Worcester county; Capt Inglesbe's (Ingoldsby) co., Col. Cushing's regt.; age 26 years; stature 5 feet, 8 inches; complexion light; engaged for town of Shrewsbury; marched July 25, 1779; delivered to Ensign T. Clark.

(See also Revolutionary record of other Samuels.)

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v. PARMELIA, m. —— Gay; resided at Penn Yan; removed to Ohio, and there she died.
vi. HANNAH, m. ——— Peckham, of Saratoga; resided at Ballston Spa; a surviving son, George Peckham, lives there.
vii. JACOB.
viii. SUSAN.
ix. ELIZABETH, m. —— Marcy.
x. JOSHUA.
xi. EBENEZER.
xii. JAMES.
xiii. ISAAC.

## 117.

JAMES[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 28 Dec., 1760; married Hannah, daughter of William and Abigail (Stone) Reed, of Lexington, born 8 Oct., 1758. She survived her husband, and married second, Thomas Loring, Sen. He "was a sea-captain"; "went to Hartland, Vt."

Children:

241. i. OLIVER,[7] b. 3 Dec., 1783.
242. ii. ELIAS, b. 13 Jan., 1788.
iii. HANNAH, b. 1792; d. 1811.
iv. REBECCA, m. Thomas Loring, Jr. Had children, Rebecca and Thomas Loring. Resided at Nashua, N. H.

JAMES, Fitchburg. Private, Capt. Peter Woodbury's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; enlisted October 11, 1778; discharged Nov. 9, 1778; service, 1 mo., at Cambridge; roll dated Lancaster; *also*, Capt. David Jewett's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; enlisted Nov. 10, 1778; discharged Dec. 12, 1778; service, 1 mo. 5 days, travel included, guarding troops of convention; roll certtfied at Lancaster; *also*, Capt. William Henry's co.; enlisted Oct. 3, 1779; discharged Nov. 10, 1779; service, 1 mo. 11 days, travel included, at Castle and Governor's Islands; company raised in Worcester Co.; *also*, Capt. Timothy Boutell's co., Col. John Rand's (Worcester Co.) regt.; enlisted July 20, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos. 1 day, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

## 118.

ISAAC[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born (date unknown); married 21 July, 1788, Rebekah Taylor, "both of Fitchburg." He was a farmer, tanner and currier; removed to North Hoosick, N. Y. Either he or No. 127 was the Revolutionary soldier mentioned in Mass. Archives thus:

ISAAC, Billerica. List of men raised in Middlesex Co. to serve in the Continental Army [year not given]; residence, Billerica; engaged for town of Billerica.

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Children:

243. i. NICHOLAS.[7]
244. ii. SIMON.
245. iii. AARON TAYLOR, b. 20 Nov., 1804.
iv. ISAAC, m. ——; dau. Marion m. —— Kenyon.
v. REBECCA, b. 26 June, 1793; m. 28 Sept., 1815, David Milliman, who was b. 31 Oct., 1789, and d. 19 Nov., 1873.

Children of David and Rebecca (Danforth) Milliman:

1. *Abel Danforth Milliman*, b. 3 Aug., 1817; d. 1 March, 1829.
2. *Rebecca Maria Milliman*, b. 26 Nov., 1820; m. —— Campbell; living in Oshkosh, Wis.
3. *Abigail (Abby) Milliman*, b. 5 April, 1826; m. —— Brownell.
4. *Lyman Milliman*, b. 10 Jan., 1828; d. 21 July, 1894.
5. *Charles H. Milliman*, b. 20 Nov., 1828; d. 10 May, 1899.
6. *Albert Milliman*, b. 26 March, 1831; d. 29 July, 1893; m. 16 March, 1859, Sylvia Alcock.

vi. POLLY.
vii. MERCY, d. in childhood.
246. viii. JACOB, b. 24 Dec., 1814.

## 119.

JACOB[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born about 1771; died 1 Nov., 1839; married Mary Johnson, granddaughter of "Count Bassanett, a French refugee."

He was a merchant residing at Augusta, Georgia.

Children:

i. NICHOLAS,[7] d. at 6 years of age.
ii. MARTHA ANN, b. 10 Feb., 1806; d. April, 1881; m. Alonzo B. Bigelow, a merchant in New York city.

Children of Alonzo B. and Martha Ann (Danforth) Bigelow:

1. *Jacob D. Bigelow*, d. at 18 years of age.
2. *John Bigelow*.
3. *Alonzo Bigelow*.
4. *William Bigelow*.
5. *Mary Bigelow*, b. 8 Nov., 1828.
6. *Caroline Bigelow*.

iii. SAMUEL, d. young.
247. iv. JAMES, b. 1809.
v. MARY, b. 13 Aug., 1812; m. (1) R. W. McKeen; m. (2) John M. Dow. Daughter, *Martha Ann McKeen*, b. 13 Oct., 1831; d. 10 Oct., 1857; m. I. L. Browning. Children: (1) Minnie Browning, b. 1849, d. 1850; (2) Ella Browning; b. 19 Jan., 1850, m. C. C. Caswell; (3) Catherine Browning, b. 1852, d.

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in infancy; (4) Belle Prince Browning, b. 10 May, 1854, m. Wolsey Collins.

248. vi. JACOB. b. 1814.

vii. ELIZABETH, b. 5 Aug., 1816; m. Benjamin Dart, of Bethel, Conn.; he died in 1867.

viii. LAURA C., b. 1818; m. I. Bridges, of Albany, N. Y. Children: Mary, Catherine, Earle, Gertrude, Barron, Mason, Auguste and John Bridges.

ix. SILLIMAN CAMPBELL, b. and d. in 1820.

x. CAROLINE WALKER, b. 21 Dec., 1821; m. (1) W. H. Gordon; m. (2) Gerald McLaughlin.

Children of W. H. and Caroline W. (Danforth) Gordon:

1. *James Gordon*; killed in the War.
2. *Jacob Gordon*, killed in the War.
3. *Maria Gordon*.

Children of Gerald and Caroline W. (Danforth) (Gordon) McLaughlin:

1. *Martha Ann McLaughlin*, m. T. C. Bligh; d. 1876.
2. *Charles J. McLaughlin*, b. July, 1854; m. Adela Force. Children: (1) Edith McLanghlin, b. 10 April, 1881; (2) Gerald McLaughlin, b. 14 May, 1883. He has been in the Custom House, N. Y. city.

## 120.

JOSEPH[6]* (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Fitchburg about 1805; "commanded his own ship on voyages between Portland, Me., and European ports."

## 121.

FRANCIS[6] (*Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Fitchburg; died at Ballston Centre, about 1836; married Eunice Warren, of Chelmsford, born about 1773, died about 1821.

He resided successively at Rutland, Cohoes, Watervliet and Ballston, N. Y.

Children:

249. i. AZEL WARREN,[7] b. at Rutland, 4 July, 1793.

ii. POLLY, b. 1794; d. about 1847; m. Henry York, of Saratoga county, N. Y.

iii. DENCY, b. about 1801: m. Dea. W. J. York, of Saratoga Co.; rem. to Jefferson Co., N. Y.

iv. ELIZA, b. about 1804; m. Nelson Eckert, of Saratoga.

250. v. HENRY, b. 12 Dec., 1806.

* Joseph Danforth married in Boston, 10 April, 1823, Mary Jenkins. Is this No. 120?

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vi. HENRIETTA, twin of Henry, m. 8 July, 1830, Luzon Curtis, of Ballston.

Children of Luzon and Henrietta (Danforth) Curtis:

1. *Francis Danforth Curtis*, b. 15 May, 1831; d. 29 May, 1891; m. (1) 19 Oct., 1854, Elizabeth, dau. of Major Kirby, of Charlton, N. Y.; he m. (2) 8 May, 1875, Elvira Collins Smith, of Glenville. N. Y. He was a popular and "leading dairyman and Christian gentleman."
2. *Susan M. Curtis*, b. 13 Nov., 1832; m. James T. Sweetman, M. D., of Charlton, N. Y. Dau., Mrs. Thomas C. (Sweetman) Martin, and son James Sweetman, M. D.
3. *Andrew Jackson Curtis*, b. 18 Nov., 1834; m. ——— Crocker, of Schenectady, N. Y.; res. San Mateo, Fla.
4. *William Warren Curtis*, b. 8 May, 1844; a Presbyterian minister, at Belle Plaine, Kan.
5. *Edna A. Curtis*, b. 7 March, 1849; m. George R. Donnan, lawyer, Troy, N. Y.

vii. SUSANNA, b. about 1809; m. Josiah Brown, of Saratoga Co.; rem. to Battle Creek, Mich. She d. in 1871. Son Henry Brown, a prominent business man at Grand Rapids, Mich.

## 122.

SAMUEL[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hardwick, 9 March, 1771; died at Ithaca, N. Y., 17 Dec., 1824; married ———.

He resided at Rupert and Paulet, Vt., at Williamstown, Mass., and at Ithaca, N. Y.

Child:

250*a*. i. CHARLES,[7] b. 23 Aug., 1800; graduated Williams College, 1826; became a clergyman; labored chiefly as a missionary in Western states; d. at Oberlin, O., 1867.

ii. LYDIA PERMELIA, m. 25 July, 1825, Henry Seymour Nash (son of Pelatiah Bliss and Sally (Towner) Nash; b. 15 Oct., 1798). She d. in Oct., 1851.

Children of Henry S. and Lydia P. (Danforth) Nash:

1. *Mary Frances Nash*, b. 7 Oct., 1826; m. Alvin M. Tooley, of Poultney, N. Y.
2. *Lucy Alger Nash*, b. 27 Feb., 1831.
3. *Ellen Maria Nash*, b. 10 June, 1833.
4. *Charles Henry Nash*, b. 6 Dec., 1835; a Baptist minister; residence (1897) Barton, Fla.
5. *Albert Augustus Nash*, b. 16 April, 1838.
6. *Josepha Adeline Nash*, b. 6 Feb., 1841.
7. *Marion Permelia Nash* b. 8 March, 1843.
8. *George Harvey Nash*, b. 11 March, 1845; d. 5 Sept., 1851.

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iii. JONATHAN E., d. at Danbury, Conn.
iv. SAMUEL; lived in the South.
v. THOMAS; probably the man who d. at Coldwater, Miss., in 1874.
vi. SUSANNA.

## 123.

LYMAN[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born 22 Oct., 1788; died 13 June, 1811.

Removed to Pownal, Vt.

## 124.

CYRUS[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hardwick, 29 Sept., 1793; died at Oquaka, Ill., 20 July, 1847; married first 16 March, 1817, Hannah P., daughter of John and Hannah (Perry) Jenney, descendant of John Jenney, of Norwich, Eng., and our Plymouth. He married second, 1 July, 1838, Mary Ann Jones, born 1806, died at Winterset, Ia., 3 March, 1878. He was a millwright and carpenter; removed to Oquaka, Ill. His first wife, supposing him to have died in the West, married a second husband, Clark Stone, of Enfield, Mass., 30 Sept., 1858.

Children:

i. JOSEPH R.,[7] b. 19 July, 1818; d. 4 Sept. 1880; lived and died in Worcester.
ii. HANNAH, b. 19 Jan., 1821; m. 29 March, 1843, Walter Sibley, of Brookfield.
iii. MARY R., b. 16 Jan., 1823; m. Feb. 18, 1844, Chester Hubbard, of Templeton; they rem. to Keokuk, Ia., where he d. 29 June, 1861, æ. 45.
iv. GEORGE E., b. 3 Feb., 1825; rem. to California. [Hist. Hardwick.]
v. PAMELIA W., b. 15 Sept., 1827; m. 31 Dec., 1847, Benjamin Franklin, b. in Hardwick, 24 March, 1820; son of Benj. and Eliza (Clark, Webb) Paige; he was a trader and postmaster. Ch., Mary Pamela Paige, b. 28 Dec., 1852.
vi. WILLIAM R., b. 4 Feb., 1840.
251. vii. CHALLEN, b. 30 Jan., 1844.

## 125.

JAMES[6] (*Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hardwick about 1796; married about 1830, Nancy R. Smith, of Barre.

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WILLIAM[6] (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3], *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hartland, Vt., 31 July, 1761; died in July, 1830, killed by the kick of a horse; married 29 Dec., 1781, Priscilla, daughter of Thomas and Mercy (Stone) Hoadley, born at Cambridge, Mass., 19 March, 1762.

He was a farmer; resided in Berkshire, Vt.

Children:

i. SALLY,[7] b. 20 March, 1783; d. in 1873; m. Reuben Chaffee.

ii. BETSEY, b. 3 Feb., 1785; d. at Byron, N. Y., in 1804; m. Isaac Brown, of Windsor, Vt.

iii. SUSAN, b. 7 Sept., 1786; d. in 1873; m. first, Zenas Higgins, shoemaker, Buffalo, N. Y.; m. second, John E. Wright, carpenter, of same place.

252. iv. WILLIAM, b. 10 July, 1788.

v. PRISCILLA, b. 28 Aug., 1790; d. in 1880; m. first, Comfort Chaffee, farmer, Berkshire, Vt.; m. second, John Chaffee, of same.

vi. WARREN, b. 5 March, 1792; d. in 1816; farmer; m. Eliz. Bronson.

vii. JOSEPH, b. 7 Feb., 1794; drowned 27 Aug., 1795.

viii. POLLY, b. 7 Dec., 1796; m. Mason Farwell, wheelwright, Byron, N. Y.

ix. LUCINDA, b. 20 Feb., 1798; d. 10 May, 1894, "æ. 96: 2: 20;" m. 18 Dec., 1818, James, son of John and Abigail (Root) Stone, of Haverhill, Mass., b. 22 July, 1796; d. 14 April, 1857. Mr. Stone was a millwright. They removed in 1846 to the timbered region, afterward Sheboygan, Wis.; lived in a log house with Indians camping near by, and knew much of frontier hardships and resolute achievements. They afterwards removed to Winooski, in the same state, where they passed their closing years. In 1893, Mrs. Stone, almost 96 years old, wrote a beautiful letter to Mr. May regarding the Chicago meeting soon to assemble; and her son Hialmer made an address in the meeting.

Children of James and Lucinda (Danforth) Stone:

1. *Elmina Eliza Stone*, b. 21 Jan., 1820; m. 31 Dec., 1840, Sherman Comings, of Rockford, Ill., b. 17 Dec., 1818.

Children:

(1) Arthur Franklin Comings, M.D., b. 11 Oct., 1845; m. 4 April, 1872, Abby Mary Maria Hobart, b. 27 Sept., 1849.

(2) Everett Sherman Comings, b. 12 Sept., 1857; m. Mary Addie Hutchinson; was a wood engraver and artist at Rockford, Ill.; d. in 1890.

2. *Glanville Wentworth Stone*, b. 23 March, 1823; m. 18 Oct., 1847, Celinda Hannah, dau. of Asa and Han-

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nah Tyler, of Mexico, Oswego Co., N. Y.; b. 23 March, 1829.

Children:

(1) Viola Francesca Stone, b. 3 June, 1851; m. 20 March, 1869, Hiram Edward Gardner; res. Ladoga, Fond du Lac, Wis.

(2) Walter Theron Stone, b. 2 Aug., 1862.

3. *Maila Marion Stone*, b. 18 June, 1828; m. 9 Sept., 1849, Elijah Palmer Andrus, b. 22 Aug., 1821.

Children:

(1) Arabel Freelove Andrus, b. 8 May, 1852.

(2) Julia M. Andrus, b. 22 Oct., 1853; m. 29 Dec., 1878, Helon F. Shadbolt, of Sheboygan, Wis.

(3) Helen M. Andrus, b. 30 March, 1863; m. in Sept., 1890, ——— Tubbs, of Elkhorn, Wis.

(4) Merritt Palmer Andrus, b. 5 Jan., 1865.

(5) Hialmer Benjamin James Andrus, b. 2 May, 1870.

4. *Helen Marr Stone*, b. 24 May, 1830; m. 14 Nov., 1851, Harvey Comings, b. 6 Dec., 1827. She d. 14 Sept., 1892.

5. *Plautina Eliza Stone*, b. 13 Feb., 1833; m. 5 Dec., 1850, Selden Aiken, b. 24 Sept., 1824.

Children:

(1) Frances Mary Aiken, b. 22 Aug., 1853; m. Howard Gates; child, Alice May Gates, b. 27 May, 1878.

(2) Louis Wilton Aiken, b. 6 March, 1855; m. Ida May Shadbolt; children, Bessie Franc Aiken, b. 13 Feb., 1880, and Katie Lula Aiken, b. 21 July, 1883.

6. *Hialmer Harlin Stone*, b. 21 Nov., 1835; m. (1) 8 Nov., 1860, Lucy Ann McMurphy, b. 12 July, 1837; d. 12 Aug., 1869; he m. (2) 10 Nov., 1870, Marietta, dau. of John Walker and Martha Millard, b. 25 July, 1844.

Child: Roy James Stone, b. 13 Aug., 1867.

7. *Mary Alexia Stone*, b. 17 April, 1840; m. Henry W. McMurphy.

Children of Henry W. and Mary Alexia (Stone) McMurphy:

(1) Mabel McMurphy, b. 19 June, 1860; m. Henry T. Harling, b. in Hanover, Germany, Sept., 1850.

(2) John McMurphy, b. 7 Oct., 1863.

(3) Harly Roy McMurphy, b. 28 Nov., 1867; "dealer in cheese"; res. Plymouth, Wis.

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(4) Almira McMurphy, b. 17 April, 1870; m. 18 Dec., 1888, Edward Augustus, son of Peter Kennedy, of Waldo, Wis.; b. at Sheboygan Falls, Wis., 17 Aug., 1857. Children: Gladys Ellen Kennedy, b. 12 Sept. 1891; and Howard Edward Kennedy, b. 24 Dec., 1896.

(5) Caroline McMurphy, b. 19 Jan., 1872.

8. *Elnora Lucinda Stone*, b. 28 April, 1844; d. 5 Feb., 1849.

x. RHODA, b. 28 April, 1800; d. 13 May, 1876; m. 20 Dec., 1826, Benjamin Capel Wood, farmer, Lyndon, Wis., b. Essex, N. Y., 4 Sept., 1779, d. 19 Sept., 1874.

Children of Benj. C. and Rhoda (Danforth) Wood:

1. *Priscilla Wood*, b. Berkshire, 1 Aug., 1827.
2. *Lura Wood*, b. 21 Feb., 1829.
3. *Lura Priscilla Wood*, b. 11 Aug., 1832; d. 31 Jan., 1835.
4. *Calista Marinia Wood*, b. 26 Dec., 1834; m. (1) 28 Nov., 1852, William Reed Ellis, b. Franklin; res. Winooski, Wis., and Mattapoisett, Mass.; died there. She m. (2) 25 July, 1886, Mr. Willey; res. So. Franklin, Vt.

   Children:

   (1) Rhoda Ann Ellis, b. 1 April, 1854; m. 2 May, 1874, Elbridge O. Bailey.

   (2) Ednah Adelia Ellis, b. 26 Nov., 1856; m. 29 July, 1877, Samuel Thomas Bennett; res. New Bedford.

   (3) Henry Milton Ellis, b. 18 Dec., 1858; d. at Elgin, Ill., 17 April, 1865.

   (4) John Thomas Ellis, b. 16 Dec., 1862; d. 28 March, 1865.

5. *Oliver Stanley Wood*, b. 29 Nov., 1837; m. (1) 7 June, 1858, Elizabeth Jane Willard; m. (2) Ella A. Myrick.

   Children:

   (1) Mary Elizabeth Wood, b. at Lyndon, Wis., 4 July, 1864.

   (2) Katherine Estella Wood, b. 31 May, 1866.

   (3) Alida Rhoda Wood, b. 27 Aug., 1868.

   (4) Flora Wood, b. 1 May, 1870.

6. *Eunice Bowman Wood*, b. 22 June, 1841; d. 22 June, 1887; m. at Franklin, Vt., in 1861, David E. Cross, of New York; res. Amboy, Minn.

   Children:

   (1) John Henry Cross, b. Shelbyville, Minn., 3 Jan., 1866; m. 30 Oct., 1889, Florence L. McKinstry.

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Child: Harry G. Cross, b. 19 Oct., 1890.
(2) William Ellis Cross, b. 15 May, 1870.
(3) Agnes Cross, b. Dec., 1873.

253. xi. JONATHAN, b. 15 May, 1802.
xii. HANNAH, b. 1 March, 1804; d. in 1809.
xiii. PERMELA, b. 10 March, 1806; m. Servarnard Jewett, a farmer, of Lyndon, Wis.
xiv. PERSIS, b. 20 March, 1808; m. 29 Jan., 1853, Joel Wright, blacksmith, Onion River, Wis.

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ISAAC,[6] M. D., (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 29 Sept., 1763; died at Barnard, Vt., where he had resided many years, 28 May, 1851; married in 1788, Persis, daughter of Gen. Joseph Baker, of Westboro, Mass., born 15 June, 1770, died at Pomfret, Vt., 9 Sept., 1844. "He was a good, practical farmer, and a skillful physician." A gentleman of refined and courteous manners, and most polite and helpful to the humblest persons; "beloved and respected by all." [See No. 118.]

Children:

i. PERSIS BAKER,[7] b. 1 Feb., 1791; d. 10 Feb., 1868; m. in Feb. 1808, Rev. Joel Davis, b. at Sharon, Vt., Oct., 1776, d. 6 Feb., 1853. He was a minister at Barnard.

Children of Joel and Persis B. (Danforth) Davis:

1. *Betsey Maria Davis*, b. 10 March, 1812; d. 18 May, 1882; m. Joseph S. Scovell, Montpelier, Vt.
2. *Isaac Danforth Davis*, b. 27 Feb., 1810; res. Barnard, Vt.
3. *Martha Baker Davis*, b. Feb., 1814; m. Dea. Orcutt Abbot, Williamstown.
4. *Persis Baker Davis*, b. Feb., 1816; m. Campbell Martin, Montpelier, Vt.
5. *John Preston Davis*, b. 10 May, 1818; m. Calista Gale, of Barre, Vt.; res. Northfield, Vt.
6. *Elizabeth Davis*, b. 1821; m. Charles Lyon, Montpelier, d. 16 May, 1882.
7. *William Danforth Davis*, b. 1823; d. 17 Aug., 1842.
8. *Solon Danforth Davis*; d. young.

254. ii. ISAAC EMERY, b. 24 Jan., 1793.
iii. BETSEY MARIA, twin with the above, d. 21 Aug., 1803.
255. iv. JOSEPH BAKER, b. 6 Nov., 1795.
v. SOLON, b. 14 Jan., 1800; d. 19 Oct., 1872; m. Abba R. Holton; Woodstock. No children.
vi. WILLIAM CULLEN, M. D., b. 30 June, 1804; d. 22 July, 1825.
256. vii. ALBERT HALLER, b. 2 March, 1808.
256*a* viii. SAMUEL PARKMAN, b. 12 Dec., 1810.

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JONATHAN[6] (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 Feb., 1769, in Hartland, Vt.; died Sept., 1857; married Betsey French, of Tewksbury; rem. to Pomfret, Vt.

Children:

257. i. ISAAC W.[7], b. about 1806.
258. ii. HOSLEY, b. 21 Nov., 1810.
iii. JANE SHORE, m. in 1852, Philip S. Hicks, of Royalton; d. 22 Feb., 1845.

Children of Philip and Jane S. (Danforth) Hicks:

1. *Betsey Lorena Hicks.*
2. *Rosetta Maria Hicks.*
3. *Isaac William Hicks.*
4. *Sophronia Hicks.*

iv. ELIZA MARIA, m. first, Herman Fassett, carriage maker, of Enosburg, Vt. He d. 19 Feb., 1856; m. second, 18 March, 1860, Amos Green, of Enosburg; he d. 25 May, 1864. She m. third, 14 Feb., 1876, Silas Davis, of W. Enosburg; farmer. He d. 4 July, 1880.

Children of Herman and Eliza M. (Danforth) Fassett:

1. *Isaac Danforth Fassett.*
2. *Edna Jane Fassett*, m. Henry C. Page, of Waterville.
3. *Mason H. Fassett*, b. Sept., 1850.
4. *Herman H. Fassett*, b. 2 Dec., 1856.

v. BETSEY SOPHRONIA, b. 1823, d. 1845, unm.

129.

SAMUEL,[6] M. D. (*William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Calais, Vt., 31 Aug., 1772; died in Barnard, Vt., 12 April, 1812; married 9 May, 1800, Mercy Southgate, born 29 May, 1777, died 12 Feb., 1827.

Children:

i. EUPHEMIA NANELLE,[7] b. 31 Jan., 1801; d. unm. 6 Jan., 1827.
ii. ANCUS, b. 21 Oct., 1802; d. in N. Y. city, 15 April, 1826; a hatter; unm.
259. iii. ARO, b. 3 Feb., 1804.
iv. BETSEY MARIA, b. 30 Dec., 1805; d. 7 Sept., 1883; m. 19 March, 1828, Dean Clapp, b. at Barnard, Vt., 15 Jan., 1804; d. in 1865.

Children of Dean and Betsey M. (Danforth) Clapp:

1. *Aro Danforth Clapp*, b. 22 July, 1830; m. Helen Eaton, b. 3 Sept., 1833; res. Norwalk, O.

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Child of Aro D. and Helen E. Clapp:

Grace M. Clapp, b. 20 Feb., 1860; m. 28 Jan., 1881, Perry J. Tillson; Ch.: Carl Dean Tillson, b. 1884, d. 1887, and Howard Clapp Tillson, b. 30 June, 1886.

2. *Mary Isabel Clapp*, b. 18 June, 1834; m. Dr. Alfred Terry, of Norwalk, O.; she d. 18 Nov., 1895.

Children of Alfred and Mary I. (Clapp) Terry:

(1) Fred Dean Terry, b. 1854, d. 1857.
(2) Fanny Maria Terry, b. 1856, d. 1858.
(3) Ida Lavon Terry, b. 20 May, 1859; m. Charles H. Rule; res. Detroit, Mich.
(4) Alfred Dean Terry.
(5) Bessie Henrietta Terry, m. John E. Cline, Detroit.

3. *Henry Seymour Clapp*, b. 2 Oct., 1841; m. 20 Oct., 1869, Sarah Douglas Brightman, b. 17 March, 1847.

Children:

(1) Mary Bell Clapp, b. 25 June, 1872.
(2) Kate Brightman Clapp, b. 24 March, 1878.

260. v. Isaac Carmi, b. 29 Aug., 1807.

vi. Horatio Seymour, b. 15 June, 1809; d. at Barnard, Vt., 12 Jan., 1828.

vii. Joanna, b. 27 June, 1811; m. in 1833, Daniel, eldest son of Rev. Asahel and Esther (Eaton) Morse, of Gorham, N. Y. He was a tanner and farmer; res. at Norwalk, O.; d. 9 Dec., 1899; she d. 2 May, 1899.

Children of Daniel and Joanna (Danforth) Morse:

1. *Oscar Raymond Morse*, b. 16 Jan., 1835, m. Kate, dau. of Ira and Fanny (Skinner) Terry. Children:

(1) Charles Raymond Morse, b. 9 May, 1861.
(2) Fanny Joanna Morse, b. 22 Oct., 1863.
(3) Caroline Irene Morse, b. 1 Dec., 1865.
(4) Kate Morse, b. 2 April, 1868.

2. *Asahel Morse*, b. 28 April, 1840; d. 26 Aug., 1841.
3. *Samuel Danforth Morse*, b. 3 May, 1844; m. 20 Dec., 1866, Elvira, dau. of Joel and Sarah Ann (Gates) Smith, of Ionia, Mich. Child: Mary Alice Morse, b. 25 Jan., 1876.
4. *Alice Euphemia Morse*, b. 22 July, 1848; d. 16 Oct., 1864.
5. *Rolla Southgate Morse*, b. 23 Nov., 1851; d. 26 March, 1852.
6. *Ada Eaton Morse*, b. 8 July, d. 8 Sept., 1855.

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## SEVENTH GENERATION.

131.

ALLEN[7] (*Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 18 Jan., 1796; died at Plymouth, 28 May, 1872; married 30 Dec., 1818, Lydia, daughter of William and Lydia (Presbrey) Seaver, born in Taunton, 9 June, 1799, died at Plymouth, 31 Aug., 1859.

Mr. Danforth, at Taunton, in 1820, established the "Old Colony Reporter" (now the "Bristol County Republican"); in 1822 he removed to Plymouth, and there established "The Old Colony Memorial" newspaper, which he transferred, in 1836, to his brother-in-law, James Thurber. He was treasurer of the Plymouth Savings Bank; secretary of the Old Colony Insurance Co.; selectman, representative to the legislature, etc.; a man of efficient and useful character. He died in his 90th year.

Children:

261. i. JAMES ALLEN,[8] b. 19 Sept., 1819.
ii. NATHANIEL SEAVER, b. 9 Sept., 1821; d. 9 Oct., 1822.
iii. LYDIA ANN, b. 16 Oct., 1825; d. 11 Sept., 1899.
iv. MARY ADELINE, b. 6 June, 1828; m. 14 Nov., 1855, John Jackson Russell, b. in Plymouth, 1823, son of John and Deborah (Spooner) Russell.

Children of John J. and Mary A. (Danforth) Russell:

1. *Helen Russell*, b. 29 Sept., 1857.
2. *John Russell*, b. 26 Jan., 1860; m. Caroline E. Coombs. Child: Dorothy Russell, b. 18 Feb., 1891.
3. *Lydia Russell*, b. 4 May, 1863; m. 30 June, 1886, Charles Stevenson Davis.

Child: Charles Stevenson Davis, b. 30 June, 1888.

262. v. WILLIAM SEAVER, b. 20 Jan., 1832.

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GEORGE[7] (*Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, April, 1800; died 8 Feb., 1851; married 22 July, 1828, Rebecca B. Southworth, born 26 Dec., 1802, died 3 June, 1891.

Children:

i. HARRIETTE MONTAGUE,[8] b. 28 March, 1829; m. in Providence, R. I., 4 May, 1871, Elkanah, son of Nehemiah and Asenath (Crowley) Hall, b. 5 July, 1819. They have rendered valuable assistance in the meetings of the association and in gathering materials for this work. Child born and died 14 Feb., 1873. Res. Mansfield.
ii. CAROLINE BUCKLEY, b. 2 Nov., 1830.
iii. GEORGE AUGUSTUS, b. 7 Jan., 1834; d. 6 June, 1869.
iv. REBECCA SOUTHWORTH, b. 24 March, 1835.
v. MARY ALICE, b. 27 March, 1836.
vi. HANNAH FRANCES, b. 25 May, 1838.
263. vii. EPHRAIM SOUTHWORTH, b. 27 May, 1840.

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JOHN[7] (*Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 1 April, 1802; died at New London, 15 July, 1881; married first, 7 Sept., 1823, Caroline Bulkley, daughter of John and Eunice (Frink) Prentice, born 24 June, 1805, died 20 Aug., 1824. He married second, 1 Oct., 1848, Jane, widow of Jonathan Brooks, born 12 June, 1804. His first wife died about a year after their marriage, and the business in which he had embarked failed. He again entered into business, only to fail. Great mental prostration followed, which yielded to treatment in the asylum, but with only partial recovery. He was ever afterward a peculiar person, never altogether sane. Became, on this account, a notable person in the community.

Child:

JOHN PRENTICE,[8] b. Aug., 1824; d. 3 March, 1825.

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THOMAS[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Mansfield, 20 Jan., 1784; died in Boston, 14 Jan., 1879; married first, 10 Jan., 1808, Rhoda Shepard, born in Canton, 27 Aug., 1789, died in Roxbury, 21 Sept., 1841. He married second, 10 Nov., 1842, Mary Donelson Weston, born 11 Sept., 1799, died 26 May, 1882.

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Children:

i. LOUISA,[8] b. 26 Sept., 1808; d. 12 Oct., 1841; m. 2 July, 1835, Robert W. Ames,

Children of Robert W. and Louisa (Danforth) Ames:

1. *Robert Edwin Ames*, b. 14 Sept., 1836; d. 1 Oct., 1838.
2. *Robert Edwin Ames*, b. 18 Nov., 1839: m. 18 Nov., 1868, Theoline L. Richards. of Barry, Ill.
3. *Louisa Danforth Ames*, b. 2 Oct., 1841; d. 23 Sept., 1860.

265. ii. THOMAS SHEPARD, b. 15 Oct., 1810.

iii. ELLEN, b. 13 Nov., 1812; m. 27 Nov., 1833, Josiah Snelling.

Children of Josiah and Ellen (Danforth) Snelling:

1. *Josiah Greenwood Snelling*, b. 28 Nov., 1834; m. Susan Piers. Served in 37th N. Y. V. Inf. in War of Rebellion. Res. New York City.
2. *Ellen Frances Snelling*, b. 26 Dec., 1837; d. 21 Jan, 1892; m. Edward A. Hatch, of Roxbury.
3. *Emma Snelling*, b. 4 Jan., d 15 Jan., 1840.
4. *Susan Goddard Snelling*, b. 13 Dec., 1842; m. William Blanchard Pratt, of St. Louis, Mo.
5. *Samuel Snelling*, b. 24 April, 1848; m. Harriet Elizabeth Tileston.
6. *Henry Lamont Snelling*, b. 22 Nov., 1852; d. 24 Sept., 1855.

iv. HARRIET, b. 4 May, 1815; m. 13 Nov., 1834, Daniel W. Glidden, b. in Effingham, N. H., 14 Oct., 1810, d. in Boston, 31 May, 1896. She died in Taunton, 5 March, 1897.

Children of Daniel W. and Harriet (Danforth) Glidden:

1. *Harriet Ellen Glidden*, b. in Roxbury, 5 Sept., 1835; d. 17 Sept., 1836.
2. *Daniel Augustus Glidden*, b. in Roxbury, 26 June, 1837; m. 1 Jan., 1863, Julia M. Pratt, b. in Aurora, N. Y., 18 Oct., 1836. Res. Boston.

   Children:

   (1) Edith Glidden, b. in Boston, 18 June, 1868; m. 17 Oct., 1896, Howard Carlton Forbes, b. Dec., 1868. Child: Howard Magoun Forbes, b. 14 Jan., 1901.

   (2) George Blanchard Glidden, b. in Boston, 25 Oct., 1870; m. 6 May, 1896, Minna Wesselhoeft, b. 30 Aug., 1873.

3. *Harriet Ellen Glidden*, b. in Roxbury, 5 Sept., 1839; m. 24 Dec., 1864, William Sutton Frost, of Roxbury. Reside in Chicago, Ill.

   Children:

   (1) Willie Frost, b. 25 Jan., d. 28 Jan., 1866.

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Mr. Charles Danforth.

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(2) Wilfred Baden Frost, b. in Washington, D. C., 7 Aug., 1867; m. 14 Dec,, 1887, Nellie S. George. Residence, Fremont, Ind.

(3) Daisy Mildred Frost, b, in Boston, 23 March, 1873; m. 4 Dec., 1900, Miller S. L. Kielsgard; d. in Adrian, Mich., 13 Nov., 1901.

4. *George Henry Glidden*, b. 1841, d. 1842.

v. RHODA ANN, b. 7 March, 1817; m. 27 Feb., 1842, Edward Hatch. Mr. Hatch d. 2 Aug., 1877.

Children of Edward and Rhoda Ann (Danforth) Hatch:

1. *Edward Augustus Hatch*, b. 8 Dec., 1842; m. Ellen Frances Snelling.
2. *Charles Henry Hatch*, b. 22 June, 1845; d. 3 Oct., 1873.

vi. MARY JANE, b. 15 May, 1819; m. May 1, 1842, Charles W. Matthews.

Children of Charles W. and Mary Jane (Danforth) Matthews:

1. *Mary Ella Matthews*, b. 18 Aug., 1843.
2. *Charles Melvin Matthews*, b. 18 May, 1846.
3. *Ella Louisa Matthews*, b. 30 May, 1853.
4. *Adelaide Matthews*, b. 13 Feb., 1856.
5. *Edwin Matthews*, b. 9 Dec., 1858.
6. *Agnes May Matthews*.

vii. FRANCES OCTAVIA, b. and d. in 1845.

## 136.

CHARLES[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, 30 Aug., 1797; died at Paterson, N. J., 22 March, 1876; married 18 Oct., 1823, Mary, daughter of Thomas and Sarah Willett, of Matteawan, N. Y., born 6 July, 1801, died 27 April, 1888.

From boyhood he showed a decided inclination to mechanical observations and pursuits. In 1811 he worked in a cotton mill a while; at sixteen or seventeen he joined the army as a substitute, afterward serving a term on his own account. He went on several voyages as a sailor; then taught school in the neighborhood of Rochester, N. Y.; after that he located at Matteawan, where he acted as foreman in a cotton factory. In 1825 he removed to Sloatsburg, and did work as a carder, a setter-up of machinery and so on. He now invented an important improvement in spinning frames, known as "the Danforth frame" or cap spinner, which came into use very widely in cotton factories. He joined forces with his

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brother, George Danforth, of Taunton, Mass., who had invented the "Counter Twist Speeder." Going to Paterson, N. J., he arranged with Goodwin, Rogers and Clarke to manufacture his invention. He went to Europe to introduce his work in 1829, returning in 1831. Taking a leading place in the firm, he passed from one stage to another in the business of cotton manufacture and machine tool making, till the Danforth Locomotive and Machine Company was evolved, with its vast achievements and successes. He retired from active business in 1871; he had acquired a great fortune and a good name. "He was concerned in politics only to see wise measures advanced and bad counsels overthrown, never to make money for himself or for other low ends." He was an attendant at the Presbyterian church and a helper of good causes. He scorned corruption and practised strict integrity. He died respected and honored.

Children:

i. MATILDA,[8] b. 7 May, 1825; d. 5 Jan., 1877; m. 10 June, 1846, James Taggart, who d. 3 April, 1853. Child:

*Robert Morrill Taggert*, m. (1) Jane Head; m. (2) Jane Bailey.

ii. MARY E., b. 8 Jan., 1833; m. 21 May, 1856, William Ryle, b. 2 March, 1834, d. 5 Nov., 1881.

Children of William and Mary E. (Danforth) Ryle:

1. *William Thorneycroft Ryle*, b. 21 Feb., 1858; d. at Cape May, 22 Sept., 1898; m. Kate R. Upright.
2. *Charles Danforth Ryle* (name changed to Charles Danforth), b. 24 Sept., 1859; d. at Athens, Greece, 13 March, 1896.
3. *Mary Ryle*, } b. 26 Sept., 1861; d. Aug., 1862.
4. *Margaret Ryle*, }
5. *Harold Ryle*, b. 11 June, 1863; d. 17 Dec., 1881.
6. *Arthur Ryle*, b. 8 Feb., 1865.
7. *Frank Butler Ryle*, b. 21 June, 1866, d. 7 Feb., 1867.
8. *Julia Ryle*, b. 2 Feb., 1868.
9. *Ernest Ryle*, b. 3 Aprll, 1871.
10. *Elizabeth Willett Ryle*, b. 12 May, 1873.
11. *Joseph Wright Ryle*, b. 5 Sept., 1875.

iii. SARAH L., b. 18 Feb., 1835; d. 17 May, 1865; m. 18 Sept., 1861, Orson Barnes, who d. 23 July, 1875.

Child of Orson and Sarah L. (Danforth) Barnes:

*Sarah Louise Danforth Barnes*, b. 6 May, 1865.

iv. CHARLES, b. 7 March, 1837; was captain of 2d regiment N. J. Vol. Inf. and served with honor; fell at the head of his company in action at Gaines' Mill, near Richmond, Va., 28 June, 1862.

v. EMILY, b. 6 Aug., 1839.

vi. and vii., "infants of a day."

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JAMES M.[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Dec., 1807; married Catherine ——; went to North Carolina.

Children:

i. CATHERINE.[8]
ii. DANIEL WEBSTER.

138.

ERASTUS[7] (*John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 Dec., 1791, at Taunton, and there resided many years. Removed to Lenox, then to Rochester, N. Y., and later to Syracuse, N. Y., where he died 19 March, 1873. He was a strong Universalist, one of the committee for the building of the church at Taunton. He married first, 6 April, 1815, Hannah Newhall, born 29 Aug., 1785, and died 1 May, 1824; he married second, at Taunton, 1 Dec., 1833, Lois Newhall, born 28 Sept., 1787, and died 16 Aug., 1865. These sisters were women of energy, resolution and perseverance; when young they kept a tailor's shop at Athol.

Children;

i. AUGUSTA MARIAM,[8] b. 14 Jan., 1816; d. 26 July, 1851; m. 27 May, 1838, James Walker Crane, (son of James and Sally (Walker) Crane, of Dighton), b. 7 May, 1817.

Children of James W. and Augusta M. (Danforth) Crane:

1. *John Hiram Crane*, b. 20 Jan., 1839; m. 22 Nov., 1864, Emma Mahala Deppen, of Rochester, N. Y. Residence, Rochester, N. Y.

Children:

(1) Eleonora Augusta Crane, b. 14 July, 1865.
(2) Marion Louise Crane, b. in Aug., 1867.
(3) James Leroy Crane.
(4) Margaret Partridge Crane, b. 23 Sept., 1872.
(5) John Hiram Crane, b. in 1879.

2. *Sarah Louise Crane*, b. 23 Sept., 1840; m. 6 Sept., 1862, Edward Francis Gill, b. 24 April, 1839. Residence, Springfield. Child, Marion Leocadia Gill, b. 19 Sept., 1864; m. 20 Aug., 1891, George D. Cogniac of Springfield.

3. *James Danforth Crane*, b. 1 July, 1849; m. (1) in 1869, Minnie Burdick; m. (2) in 1880, Mary Foley. He d. at Waterbury, Conn., 17 Feb., 1901.

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ii. LUCY MARSHALL, b. 26 July, 1817; m. (1) 13 Sept., 1835, John Mabrey Davis, b. at Dighton, 10 Sept., 1814, d. 23 Sept., 1841. She m. (2) 23 April, 1843, Luther Coleman, b. 1 Feb., 1810, d. 2 March, 1854. She took great interest in the anti-slavery cause, and made public addresses on the subject; has been a person of large public spirit, active in reform work. Child: Gertrude Coleman, b. 13 Sept., 1845, d. 18 Nov., 1862.

iii. AURELIA FELTON, b. 7 Dec., 1819; d. 26 March, 1886; m. 17 July, 1843, Ebenezer Raymond, of Taunton (son of Ebenezer and Hepsibah (Hall) Raymond), b. 7 Feb., 1818, d. 7 Nov., 1848. He was a sea-captain, sailing generally to Southern ports; died from exposure in his barkentine, the Justin, in a violent storm near Newport, R. I. Mrs. Raymond b. in Lenox, Mass.; removed at 12 with the family to Taunton; attended the Bristol Co. Academy; became a school teacher. After the death of her husband, with her two children to support, she began the study of medicine which she pursued at the N. E. Med. Coll. and at Philadelphia, where she received her diploma. She took great interest in the development of this genealogy from the earliest meeting, and was appointed one of the compilers; the work she did was of a high order, and "to her far more than to any other are we indebted for what is in this volume." [J. J. M.]

Children of Ebenezer and Aurelia F. (Danforth) Raymond:

1. *Mary Hannah Raymond*, b. 16 June, 1844; d. 13 Dec., 1850.
2. *Frank Raymond*, b. 18 Aug., 1846; m. 16 April, 1868, Elizabeth Ann, dau. of Hiram A. and Ellen (Corcoran) Heath, b. 5 May, 1850. He is a machinist. Candidate for mayor of Syracuse on Working Men's Ticket. Served in the war for the Union in the 54th regt. N. Y. Vol. Inf.

   Children:

   (1) Frederick Raymond, b. 11 May, 1869.
   (2) Frances Olive Raymond, b. 7 Oct., 1873; d. 6 Nov., 1874.
   (3) Kate Danforth Raymond, b. 25 Oct., d. 30 Nov., 1875.

iv. FRANCES OLIVE, b. 22 Dec., 1822; d. 1 Nov., 1870; m. 19 March, 1855, Ezra Williams Clark, b. in Washington Co., N. Y., in June, 1801; res. at Springfield, Mass.; d. at Hartford, Conn. She was one of the early and untiring workers in the anti-slavery and other kindred reforms; had a mind of singular brilliancy and matured wisdom. Nothing that appertained to the welfare of humanity failed to interest her. [Rev. Charles D. B. Mills in Woman's Journal.]

Child of Ezra W. and Frances O. (Danforth) Clark:

*Raymond Danforth Clark*, b. 2 Oct., 1860; d. 11 Aug., 1861.

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HENRY[7] (*John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, Mass., 15 July, 1797; died in Mason Co., West Virginia, 18 July, 1858; married 1 Oct., 1836, Jane (Lucas) Henderson, of McConnelsville, O., born at Marietta, O., 17 Feb., 1804.

Children:

i. GEORGIANA,[8] b. at McConnelsville, 12 Oct., 1837; d. at Athens, O., 14 March, 1882; m. at Gallopolis, O., 21 May, 1862, Joel A. Pugh.

Children of Joel A. and Georgiana (Danforth) Pugh:

1. *James M. Pugh*, b. 21 Sept., 1864.
2. *Henry A. Pugh*, b. 16 Sept., 1866.
3. *Frederic E. Pugh*, b. 25 Dec., 1868; d. 29 June, 1869.

ii. MARY A. b. at Zanesville, 12 Oct., 1838; m. 6 Nov., 1855, Salathiel E. Pugh.

Children of Salathiel E. and Mary A. (Danforth) Pugh:

1. *Frances Pugh*, b. 6 Nov., 1856; m. 10 Aug., 1882, John E. Bryan.
2. *Ellen Pugh*, b. 15 April. 1858.
3. *George E. Pugh*, b. 13 Oct., 1861.
4. *Caroline E. Pugh*, b. 2 Feb., 1865.
5. *Henry Pugh*, b. 11 July, 1867.
6. *Emma Pugh*, } b. 11 March, 1872; d. soon.
7. *Edward Pugh*, }

iii. CAROLINE, b. 1 April, 1842; m. 16 July, 1861, John Finley.

Children of John and Caroline (Danforth) Finley:

1. *Sarah J. Finley*, b. 19 July, 1862; d. 15 July, 1863.
2. *Chloe E. Finley*, b. 19 May, 1865.
3. *Mary E. Finley*, b. 20 April, 1867.
4. *Caroline B. Finley*, b. 28 Dec., 1869.
5. *Eva E. Finley*, b. 5 Dec., 1872.
6. *John H. Finley*, b. 6 March, 1875.
7. *George A. Finley*, b. 7 Aug., 1877.
8. *Jeremiah K. Finley*, b. 24 Sept., 1879; d. April, 1881.
9. *Edward G. Finley*, b. 5 Aug., 1880.

iv. ADELINE, b. 1 April, 1842 (twin with Caroline), d. 12 Jan., 1843.

140.

JOHN[7] (*John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, Mass., 19 April, 1799; died at Marion, O., 17 April, 1869; married first, at St. Clairsville, O., 14 Nov., 1833, Louisa, daughter of William and Mary Ann (Gillard) Giles; Capt.

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Giles was lost in the English Navy; his widow m. (2) Geo. Crawford, and came to America with him in 1822; she d. at Coshocton, O., 6 March, 1850. Mrs. Danforth, born in 1801, died at Dresden, O., 18 April, 1845.

Mr. Danforth married second, 2 March, 1854, Elizabeth (Stout) Ashton, born in Scott Co., Kentucky.

Children:

i. MARY ELIZABETH,[8] b. in Guernsey co., O., 2 Sept., 1834; d. 17 Feb., 1893; m. 16 April, 1855, George Crawford, of Marion, O., proprietor of the Semi-weekly Independent, the only Republican paper in the county.

Children of George and Mary E. (Danforth) Crawford:

1. *Cora Crawford*, b. at Upper Sandusky, O., 4 Feb., 1856; d. at Marion, O., 6 Sept., 1864.
2. *Harry Crawford*, b. at Marion, 28 March, 1866.

ii. GERALDINE, b. at McConnellsville, O., 2 Oct., 1837.

iii. LOUIS JOHN, b. at Zanesville, O., 6 May, 1840; res. at Marion; unm.

iv. EMMA J., b. 20 Jan., 1855; m. 6 Oct., 1882, Frederick Fraas, of Newport, Ky., b. at Cincinnati, O., and res. there; son of James Fraas, a native of London, Eng., his mother being a native of Alleghany City, Pa.

## 141.

ROYAL WILLIAM[7] (*John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 1 Dec., 1802; died at Raynham, where he had long resided, 5 Dec., 1877; married 27 Sept., 1829, Rhoda, daughter of Daniel and Mary [Polly] (Willis) Howard, born in T., 23 Aug., 1811, died at R., 25 Dec., 1868. He was a shoemaker, and taught his boys the trade; a strong Universalist; intense in his anti-alcoholic and anti-tobacco sentiments, in which the whole family agreed.

Children:

i. SUSAN ANN,[8] b. 30 Oct., 1830; married 27 June, 1852, Edward H., son of Abishai and Letitia or Lettice (Dean) Lincoln, b. 25 Oct., 1826; a store-keeper.

Children of Edward H. and Susan A. (Danforth) Lincoln:

1. *Helen Danforth Lincoln*, b. 14 Feb., 1854; d. in 1856.
2. *Minot Jackson Lincoln*, b. 2 April, 1857; m. 28 June, 1888, Helen Sampson Andrews, of N. Easton.

Children of Minot J. and Helen S. (Andrews) Lincoln:

(1) Edward Andrews Lincoln, b. 3 Oct., 1889.
(2) Murray Danforth Lincoln, b. 18 April, 1892.

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(3) Warren Edison Lincoln, b. 28 Oct., 1895.
(4) Arthur Horace Lincoln, b. 29 June, 1898.
(5) Helen Andrews Lincoln, b. 25 Feb., 1901.

3. *Abbot Howard Lincoln*, b. 9 March, 1859; d. 4 Aug., 1866.

4. *Arthur Abishai Lincoln*, b. 24 Sept., 1863; grad. Bridgewater Normal School; principal of a school in Cambridge; m. 17 Oct., 1894, Edith C. Newton.

Children of Arthur A. and Edith E. (Newton) Lincoln:

(1) Newton Ewell Lincoln, b. 22 Aug., 1895.
(2) Danforth Ballou Lincoln, b. 25 Oct., 1897.

5. *Mary Ellen Lincoln*, b. 14 Aug., 1865.

267. ii. MINOT LEONARD, b. 9 Aug., 1832.

iii. ELIZA HOWARD, b. 24 Aug., 1834; m. 31 Oct., 1858, Elmer, son of Abishai and Letitia (Dean) Lincoln, of Raynham, b. 30 Jan., 1836. He has been postmaster, selectman, representative, and otherwise a man of public spirit and value.

Children of Elmer amd Eliza H. (Danforth) Lincoln:

1. *Alcott Elmer Lincoln*, b. 13 Aug., 1859; m. 27 Nov., 1881, Harriet W., dau. of Wm. and Amelia (Wilkins) Crane.
2. *Harry Danforth Lincoln*, b. 8 Aug., 1865; m. 4 Sept., 1889, Fanny Crossman, dau. of Jeremiah Charles and Arroline (Crossman) Turner.
3. *Charlotte Howard Lincoln*, b. 4 June, 1868.
4. *Roy William Lincoln*, b. 17 Aug., 1873.

268. iv. DANIEL BRADFORD, b. 29 Sept., 1837.

v. ELLEN HARRISON, b. 29 March, 1840; d. 12 May, 1860.

269. vi. HENRY GILMORE, b. 6 Feb., 1843.

vii. SARAH FRANCES, b. 16 March, 1845; resided at Weir Village, Taunton; d. unm., 2 Dec., 1892.

viii. MARY SOPHIA, b. 26 Oct., 1847; m. 15 Jan., 1874, Lewis Earle White, of Attleboro.

Children of Lewis E. and Mary S. (Danforth) White:

1. *Amy Earle White*, b. 7 Dec., 1874.
2. *Howard Everett White*, b. 16 June, 1876.

ix. GERTRUDE PRESBREY, b. 7 Oct., 1855; m. 29 Dec., 1878, Edward S., son of Peleg and Lavinia Witherell. No children.

## 143.

JARVIS[7] (*William*,[6] *Oliver*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 21 Aug., 1798; died in Boston, 24 Aug., 1867; married 13 Oct., 1824, Susan Keith, eldest child of Dr. Alfred and Betsey (Shaw) Williams, of Taunton, born 13 Oct., 1805, died at S. Boston, 6 May, 1883.

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Born in Taunton, was several years with the manufacturing house of Crocker & Richmond; then in grocery trade and nail-making in Taunton. In 1842 removed to Boston, was with the Boston Iron Co., Roxbury branch of Western Avenue; then at South Boston in the grocery trade and subsequently as salesman in shoe trade. Was early an advocate of the temperance reform and refused to deal in ardent spirits, which constituted with most grocers a large and profitable part of their trade. For a time commanded a company of State militia and was generally known as Captain.

Children:

270. i. CHARLES JARVIS,[8] b. 11 Aug., 1825.

ii. SUSAN WILLIAMS, b. 1 April, 1827; m. 15 Sept., 1853, Phillippe Thomas Sharp (son of William), born in London, Eng.; came to this country with his parents when 9 years old; learned the lithographic trade of his father; produced many of the fine illustrations in Hovey's Fruits of America, Allen's Victoria Regia, etc. Sometime a photographer in Boston and Newport; also with Forbes Lithograph Co.

Children of Phillippe T. and Susan W. (Danforth) Sharp:

1. *Emma Nesbitt Sharp*, b. 10 July, 1854; d. 16 May, 1856.
2. *Lizzie Gertrude Sharp*, b. 22 July, 1862.

271. iii. HENRY RICHMOND, b. 28 Sept., 1828.

iv. EDWARD WILLIAMS, b. 29 July, 1831; was sometime engaged at the office of the Boston Transcript; turned his attention to the stage and made good advances in the profession; was also a very good writer of prose and verse; d. at Cincinnati, O., 19 May, 1857.

v. ALICE, b. in Boston, 3 Dec., 1843; m. Horace, son of Joel and Mary (Jenkins) Manson, of Scituate; res. in Boston.

272. vi. GEORGE, b. 16 Sept., 1846.

## 147.

LEVI FRANKLIN[7] (*Oliver Cromwell,*[6] *Oliver,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, Mass., 5 June, 1825; removed to Galesbug, Ill. "Married and had children."

## 148.

LEMUEL LEONARD[7] (*Oliver Cromwell,*[6] *Oliver,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, 26 Feb., 1827; married first, 15 March, 1849, Abby Parker, daughter of Dea. Stillman and Eunice (Wetherell) Smith, born 13 July, 1829, died 17 Jan., 1861. He married second, 10 Feb., 1867, Mrs. Margaret H. Monroe, born in Boston in 1834 (widow of —— Monroe, a sea-captain). Residence, Taunton; carpenter.

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Child:

OLIVER CROMWELL,[8] b. 4 Sept., 1870, attended Family Meeting in 1880, with his father.

149.

OZIAS[7] (*Ozias*,[6] *Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Providence, R. I. Married first, 14 Nov., 1847, [?] Eliza A. Jennings. He married second ———. "Had many children."

151.

CHARLES[7] (*Walter Raleigh*,[6] *Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 Aug., 1815; married 6 May, 1838, Julia Fairbanks Ward, of Nunday Valley, Alleghany co., N. Y. Residence, Providence, R. I.

Children:

273. i. WALTER RALEIGH,[8] b. 7 April, 1839.
ii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. 21 March, 1841; m. in Sept., 1860, Louis Torrence, b. in Lebanon, O. Res. at Charles City, Ia.
Child:
*Charles Danforth Torrence*, b. in July, 1861; job and book printer.

274. iii. CHARLES JAMES, b. 28 Nov., 1843.
274*a*. iv. ANDALEEN MARCINEL, b. 26 Dec., 1848.
v. ELFRED JOSEFA, b. 9 Oct., 1851.

152.

ANDREW JACKSON[7] (*Walter Raleigh*,[6] *Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 Dec., 1828; married Caroline Hopkins; residence, Johnston, R. I.

153.

HENRY TISDALE[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodford, Vt., 1 April, 1813; died at John's Branch, Andrain co., Mo., 8 Dec., 1868; married* at Hoosick, N. Y., 19 Nov., 1837, Jemima Adeline, daughter of Caleb and Hannah (Brooks) Clark, born in Petersburg, N. Y., 15 Sept., 1814, died at John's Branch, 5 March, 1868.

He removed to Geneseo, Ill., from Hoosick, where he had married; in 1854 removed again to the border of Iowa (Whitesides co.);

* Henry T. Danforth, "of New York," m. at Boston, 3 Nov., 1836, Amanda Jane McLellan.

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in 1856 to Wisconsin, with his cousin Myron DeGroodt and mother and brother, with two wagons and fourteen head of cattle. In 1863 removed to Iowa, and in 1867 to Missouri, where his uncle DeGroodt lived.

Children:

275. i. GEORGE WASHINGTON,[8] b. 13 Dec., 1838.
276. ii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. 29 Nov., 1839.
iii. FRANCES CAROLINE, b. 26 Oct., 1841; m. 10 Oct., 1861, William Lewis, son of Isaac and Hester Ann (Bedell) Tompkins, b. in Westchester co., N. Y., 23 Aug., 1838. Residence, Burbank, Los Angeles co., Cal.

Children of William L. and Frances C. (Danforth) Tompkins:

1. *William Isaac Tompkins*, b. 28 July, 1862; m. at Campbellsport, 18 June, 1884, Sarah Edith Matterson, b. in Fond du Lac, Wis., 29 Sept., 1863. Station master at Lamberton, Wis.
2. *Frances Adeline Tompkins*, b. 14 Sept., 1863; m. 29 Nov., 1882, Hillio Foote Cobeler, b. Fond du Lac, 8 Oct., 1861; a farmer.
3. *Hester Beatrice Tompkins*, b. 13 March, 1867; d. 1868.
4. *Mary Amanda Tompkins*, b. 29 April, 1868; m. 1 March, 1887, Edward Ellsworth, son of Philip and Mary Jane (Foote) Cobeler, b. 19 June, 1866.

277. iv. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 18 Feb., 1843.
v. MARY ELIZABETH, b. 16 Aug., 1844; m. first, 25 Aug., 1861, John S. Cary, b. 24 Sept., 1841. She married second, 14 Dec., 1873, Jared Matteson, painter. Res. Campbellsport.

Children of John S. and Mary E. (Danforth) Cary:

1. *Frank Emery Cary*, b. 14 March, 1862; m. 26 Feb., 1890, Hannah Weld, of Baraboo.
2. *Charles Marion Cary*, b. 25 Aug., 1863.

Children of Jared and Mary E. (Danforth) (Cary) Matteson:

1. *Guy Elmer Matteson*, b. 1 Nov., 1878.
2. *Maud Lillie Matteson*, b. 13 Oct., 1883.

278. vi. DANIEL CLARK, b. 12 Aug., 1849.

## 154.

LEWIS[7] (*James*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bennington, Vt., in 1804; died at Chautauqua, N. Y., Feb., 1849; buried at Fredonia, N. Y.; married Polly, daughter of Eli and Prudence (Sawyer) Smith.

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Children:

i. EMILY,[8] b. 1835; d. at Shumla, N. Y., in May, 1850.
279. ii. CHARLES LEWIS, b. 7 Feb., 1840.

155.

SYLVESTER ARMSTRONG,[7] M.D. (*James*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bennington, Vt., 4 March, 1807; died at Pecatonica; married at Casadaga, N. Y., in 1831, Louisa Gage, born in Madison co., N. Y., 10 April, 1814, died 24 Dec., 1891. He was a physician (allopathic); practised in Chautauqua co. till he retired in 1876, and removed to Pecatonica. Member of Universalist church; "a true Christian, greatly beloved."

Child:

MARY,[8] b. 14 June, 1841; m. first, E. Dexter Belden, b. 1839, d. 1866. Child: *Florence Danforth Belden*, b. 1866; a dramatic reader and teacher. She m. second, Ziba Adams, son of Butler and Anne (Crombie) Trull, b. at Goffstown, N. H., in 1841, d. at Pecatonica, N. Y., 3 Feb., 1885. Children: 1. *Linnie Crombie Trull.* 2. *Gleniver Gage Trull.*

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ALANSON[7] (*Henry*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodford, Vt., 22 Nov., 1815; died at Fond du lac, Wis., in 1873; married first, in Nov., 1840, Elizabeth Ward, of Dunkirk, N. Y. He married second a wife whose name we have not learned.

Children:

280. i. CHARLES AMBROSE,[8] b. 1842.
ii. FRANCELLIA, daughter of second wife; m. first, 29 Jan., 1871, Mason Kendall; m. second, 16 July, 1882, Charles W. Green.

Children of Mason and Francellia (Danforth) Kendall:

1. *William L. Kendall*, b. 21 April, 1872; d. 22 Feb., 1880.
2. *Charles E. Kendall*, b. 24 Feb., 1874.

Children of Charles W. and Francellia (Danforth) (Kendall) Green:

1. *Henry Danforth Green*, b. 14 Sept., 1888.
2. *Hazel A. Green*, b. 27 Oct., 1891.

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LAWTON[7] (*Henry*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Westmoreland, 1 Aug., 1818; died at New

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Philadelphia, O., 5 July, 1861; married at the latter place, 7 May, 1846, Cecilia, daughter of Charles and Catherine (Mirick) Korns. Resided sometime at Phillipsburg, Kansas.

Children, all born at New Philadelphia, O.

i. LUCRETIA,[8] b. 29 April, 1847; d. 28 May, 1869.
ii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 24 April, 1849; d. 1 Sept., 1850.
iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. 29 June, 1851; d. 30 Jan., 1871.
iv. CATHERINE, b. 14 Jan., 1854; res. at Phillipsburg, Kan.
v. LAWTON CUMMINGS, b. 5 March, 1856; d. 2 March, 1858.
vi. CLARK CUMMINGS, b. 10 April, 1858; d. 12 Oct., 1894; was a printer; resided at Colby, Kan., Columbus and Cleveland, O., and at Englewood, Chicago, Ill.
vii. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 16 Oct., 1860; resides at Chicago, Ill.; member of the firm of Bickford & Danforth.

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BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[7] (*Henry*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Brookfield, N. Y., 10 April, 1823; died at Wheeling, Va., 20 June, 1848; married at Wheeling, Mary Root. No children.

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THOMAS[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rocky Hill, Conn., 6 July, 1792; died there, 23 March, 1836; married 13 Sept., 1827, Mary Williams Butler, born at Rocky Hill, 8 Jan., 1805, d. 28 May, 1858. She was a daughter of Joseph and Mary (Bulkley) Butler. He was a manufacturer of Britannia ware, etc., in partnership with his father at home, in Philadelphia, and at Augusta, Ga.

Children:

281. i. HENRY TALLMAN,[8] b. 1 June, 1828.
ii. MARY BULKLEY, b. 13 May, 1830; residence, Branford, Conn.
iii. ELLEN CORNELIA, b. 5 April, 1833; d. 4 April, 1834.
282. iv. WALTER WILLIAMS, b. 4 April, 1835.

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JOSEPH[7] (*Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 14 March, 1783; died at Richmond, Va., 11 Nov., 1844; married at Petersburg, Va., 2 May, 1807, Frances, daughter of Thomas Heath, of Prince George co., Va. Learned his trade of his uncle William; went to Virginia in 1805. Was there, superintendent of the capitol, for thirty-two years; during the war of 1812 was in Capt. Andrew Sherman's Artillery, stationed at Camp Holley.

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Children:

i. FRANCES MARTHA ANN,[8] b. at Lansingburgh, N. Y., 17 April, 1808; d. at Richmond, 14 Nov., 1875.
ii. SARAH KING, b. 13 Sept., 1809; d. 16 July, 1826.
iii. JOSEPH THOMAS, b. 13 July, 1811; d. 4 July, 1813.
iv. REBECCA HEATH, b. 17 June, 1813; m. 27 Feb., 1851, James Layne; living in June, 1877.
284. v. JOHN BUCHANAN, b. 12 Feb., 1816.
vi. MARY VIRGINIA, b. 27 Sept., 1818; d. 14 March, 1866.
285. vii. FREDERICK WILLIAM RIVES, b. 2 June, 1823.

161.

EDWARD JOHN[7] (*Edward*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hartford, 19 Feb., 1799; died at N. Y. city in Oct., 1872; married first, in May, 1827, Henrietta Amelia, daughter of Nicholas Delaplaine, of Newark, N. J., born in May, 1809, died in Feb., 1836. He married second, in Sept., 1838, Mrs. Caroline (Romeyn) Cuyler, daughter of Rev. James Van Campen Romeyn, of Hackensack, N. J.

Children:

286. i. EDWARD MOSELEY,[8] b. at New York city, 23 Jan., 1828.
287. ii. NICHOLAS DELAPLAINE, b. at New York city, 27 Feb., 1831.
iii. MARY H., d. young.
288. iv. GEORGE HENRY, b. 11 Oct., 1834.
289. v. JAMES ROMEYN, b. 8 Aug., 1839.
vi. SPENCER CUYLER, d. in childhood.
vii. CAROLINE, d. in childhood.

162.

ISAAC MOSELEY[7] (*Edward*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 11 Dec., 1800; died in New York city, 19 Jan., 1862; married Hannah B. Duryea Kennedy, widow of Rev. A. S. Kennedy.

He was a well known bank note engraver.

Children:

i. MARY,[8] m. Henry Nehemiah Dodge, M.D.; had three children, who all died in 1876 of scarlet fever within 10 days, immediately after the mother's death.
ii. SUSAN M., m. (as second wife) H. M. Dodge, M.D. Res. Morristown, N. Y.

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JONATHAN[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 June, 1804; died 30 June, 1868; married

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Ann Eliza Ammerman, born in 1811, died 28 Sept., 1856. He resided in New York city; was a hardware merchant; an elder in the Presbyterian church.

Children:

i. CHARLES DEXTER,[8] b. 28 Aug., 1836; d. 24 Aug., 1839.

ii. ANNA CHRISTINA, b. 28 April, 1839; d. 29 May, 1879; m. her mother's cousin, Nathaniel Tooker, of East Orange, N. J., sugar manufacturer.

Children of Nathaniel and Anna C. (Danforth) Tooker:

1. *Ernest N. Tooker*, b. in 1865, d. in 1866.
2. *George Danforth Tooker*, b. at Bergen, N. J., in 1867; res. Yonkers, N. Y.
3. *Mary Roberts Tooker*, b. 1869; Wellesley Coll.
4. *Nathaniel Tooker*, b. at Norwood, 1870, d. 27 Dec., 1871.
5. *Frederic Jagger Tooker*, b. 1871; Princeton Univ.
6. *Gertrude Tooker*, b. 1873.
7. *Lewis Forman Tooker*, b. and d. 1876.

iii. MARY WILEY, b. 23 Jan., 1842; d. unm. 16 March, 1883.

290. iv. CHARLES ALLEN, b. 4 May, 1849.

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WILLIAM[7] (*William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 30 Jan., 1794; died at Brooklyn, N. Y., 8 Jan., 1871; married 1 May, 1815, Lydia, daughter of Michael and Lydia (Simmons) Creamer, born 1 July, 1789, died 17 Feb., 1862. Both are buried in Greenwood. He removed first to Hartford, then to Brooklyn, N. Y. "Always active in the church of Christ, and ready for every good work."

Children:

291. i. JOHN,[8] b. 19 May, 1816.

ii. FRANCES ANNA, b. at Middletown, 12 July, 1818; d. in Brooklyn, 30 July, 1851.

iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. 1 Nov., 1821; m. 24 March, 1846, Oliver Chauncey Jones, of Brooklyn, N. Y., b. 18 Dec., 1811.

Children of Oliver C. and Mary E. (Danforth) Jones:

1. *Frances C. Jones*, b. 29 June, 1847; d. 22 April, 1849.
2. *Louis Henry Jones*, b. 14 Dec., 1851; m. 19 Oct., 1887, Susan Napier.

Child: Harold Napier Jones, b. 14 March, 1892.

3. *George Burr Jones*, b. 13 Sept., 1854; m. June 3, 1886, Virginia Banting.

iii. LUCY SOUTHMAYD, b. 2 Oct., 1827; d. 17 Feb., 1848; m. in Nov., 1846, Samuel Brewer, of Middletown, Conn.

Child:

*William Danforth Brewer*, b. 29 or 30 Sept., 1847.

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JOSIAH[7] (*William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 18 July, 1803; died 11 May, 1872; married 17 Nov., 1831, Almira Camp, born at Durham, Conn., 12 Jan., 1808, died at Middletown, 31 May 1881. A man of worth; a deacon of the church.

Children:

292. i. FREDERICK LYMAN,[8] b. 17 June, 1833.
ii. ELLEN MARIA, b. 18 Aug., 1834; d. 3 March, 1846.
iii. JULIA ALMIRA, b. 29 Sept., 1836; d. at Cincinnati, O., 18 Aug., 1869; m. 6 Sept., 1859, Rev. Francis Lobdell, D.D., LL.D. (Hobart), b. at Danbury, Conn., March 26, 1835; rector of St. Andrew's Church, New York city, till 1887; then till the close of his life at Trinity Church, Buffalo, N. Y., and archdeacon of Buffalo. He was very prominent in church work, and had a large circle of friends; he d. 26 Oct., 1899.

Children:

1. *Eleanor Lobdell*, b. 29 May, 1861; m. 17 June, 1880, Rev. Edward Wm. Worthington, of Cleveland, O.

Children:

(1) Eleanor Worthington, b. 1 Sept., 1881.
(2) Agnes Seabury Worthington, b. 14 Nov., 1884; d. 2 March, 1900.
(3) Edward Lobdell Worthington, b. 2 June, 1886.
(4) Donald Worthington, b. 13 Jan., 1893.
(5) Dorothy Worthington, b. 10 April, 1895.

2. *Frederick Danforth Lobdell*, b. at Philadelphia, Pa., 8 Oct., 1862. A clergyman in Philadelphia; a member of the order "The Companions of the Blessed Saviour."
3. *Francis Evarts Lobdell* (twin with above), d. 28 Jan., 1863.
4. *Harriet Lobdell*, b. at Bridgeport, Conn., 1 Dec., 1863; m. 17 June, 1885, Vernon Mansfield, son of Robert Vernon and Mary (Semler) Davis, b. 29 Jan., 1855; a lawyer, N. Y. city; former district attorney; also commissioner of education; president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Rev. Francis Lobdell m. (2) and had other issue.

293. iv. RICHARD HUBBARD, b. 5 Jan., 1840.
294. v. EDGAR CAMP, b. 19 May, 1846.
vi. EVELYN EUGENE, b. 11 Dec., 1848; m. Louis Aldrich. No children.
vii. ELLEN EUGENIA (twin with the above), d. 25 Sept., 1849.

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SAMUEL[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hartford, Conn., 8 June, 1816; died April 4, 1879; married first, 6 Feb., 1842, Eliza, daughter of William and Eliza Bullock, of Lafayette, Ind., born 1 July, 1820, died 4 March, 1848. He married second, 8 Sept., 1852, Jemima, daughter of Joseph Robinson, of Enderby, Lincolnshire, Eng., born 25 Dec., 1825, died 1 Dec., 1864. He married third, 28 Nov., 1865, Rebecca Pike, of York co., Pa.; born 6 Aug., 1834, died at South Bend, Ind., 18 Nov., 1878.

He learned the trade of silversmith; worked at it in New Orleans at $50 a month (large pay for the times); then to New York for a short time; then to Lafayette, Ind., where he continued 30 years in the jewelry and silver ware business. When the cholera visited the place he was one of the few who stayed and tended sufferers. In 1869 he removed to a tract near Sedalia, Mo. An amiable man; an Episcopalian; a useful citizen.

Children:

i. SAMUEL,[8] b. 2 March, d. 7 March, 1848.
295. ii. ISAAC MOSELEY, b. 8 Aug., 1854.
iii. CHARLES SEYMOUR, b. 4 March, 1856; d. 10 July, 1876.
iv. PHILURA, b. at Lafayette, Ind., 17 April, 1858; d. there 14 April, 1866.
v. ANNA LOUISA, b. 17 Oct., 1862; m. 29 March, 1882, Wm. P. Henderson. Children: 1. Mabel Henderson; 2. Linnie Henderson; 3. Ruby Henderson; 4. Eula Henderson; 5. Ella Henderson.
vi. JEMIMA SOPHIA, b. 28 Oct., 1864; m. 25 Aug., 1886, R. Allen Cox; res. Clifton, Cooper co., Mo. Child: Allen Cox.

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NAHUM[7] (*Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born [in Adams, Mass.], 20 Oct., 1791; died 1 Feb., 1850; married Esther Mann, "daughter of Nathan Aldice Mann." Resided at Jefferson, N. Y.

Children:

295*a*. i. ELIJAH,[8] b. 17 Nov., 1819.
ii. MARY ESTHER, b. 10 Sept., 1822; m. Peter Piper Veley.
295*b*. iii. SYLVANUS MANN, b. 15 March, 1825.
iv. HETTY ADELINE, b. 23 March, 1827; a school teacher.
v. SARAH ANN, b. 19 May, 1829; m. Lucius Armstrong.
295*c*. vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 4 Feb., 1832.
295*d*. vii. LEVI MANN, b. 28 May, 1834.
295*e*. viii. ERSKINE, b. 28 June, 1836.

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REV. HENRY MARSHALL[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, Mass., 10 Aug., 1810; died at Angola, N. Y., 22 Aug., 1886; married at Lowell, 4 June, 1843, Judith Colby Morse, of Exeter, N. H., born in 1814, died at Evans, N. Y., 27 Feb., 1883.

When 18 years old he went to Worcester and learned the mason's trade, at which he worked in Princeton and at Troy, N. Y. At 28 he entered Theological school and in 1843 became pastor of the Baptist Church of Marlboro, N. H.; the following year was at Springdale, N. Y., and afterward at Evans, N. Y., where he continued 32 years (except one year at Bristol, N. H.). In 1882 he withdrew from the service in which he had labored acceptably and usefully.

Child:

296. WILLIAM APPLETON,[8] b. at Bristol, N. H., 15 Aug., 1846.

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REV. APPLETON HOWE[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*[5], *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bristol, N. H., 8 July, 1817; died 14 Feb., 1865; married 16 Aug., 1847, Frances Amelia Studley, of Worcester, born 27 April, 1827, died at Rangoon, Burmah, 3 Feb., 1874.

They went as missionaries to India in the autumn of 1847, and continued there ten years. On account of the ill health of Mrs. Danforth they returned to this country.

After his death the widow returned to Assam; married Rev. Moses Bronson, D. D., a missionary to that region. She died in that distant land.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH[8], b. 22 April, 1849; m. Joseph Beresford Cope, son of Edward and Martha (Beresford) Cope, of Germantown, Pa., b. 14 July, 1847. He is one of the celebrated manufacturers of hosiery, etc., of Philadelphia.

Children of Joseph B. and Elizabeth (Danforth) Cope:

1. *Frances Danforth Cope*, b. 3 Jan., 1875.
2. *Mary Studley Cope*, b. 15 Nov., 1876.
3. *Thomas Appleton Cope*, b. 15 April, 1878.

297. ii. NATHAN BROWN, b. 27 April, 1852.

iii. APPLETON HOWE.

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RICHARD SEARS[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Dana, 26 June, 1819; married 17 Jan., 1843, Amanda Hill, of Alexandria, N. H., born 13 Jan. 1825. Residence Bristol, N. H.

Children:

i. SARAH JANE,[8] b. 16 Nov., 1843.
298. ii. CHARLES RICHARD, b. 4 Feb., 1845.
299. iii. JOHN SAMUEL, b. 30 Nov., 1847.
iv. GEORGIANA RACHEL, b. 24 Feb., 1849; d. 16 Feb., 1852.
v. HARRY VIVIANNA, b. 21 April, 1857; d. 11 July, 1863.

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GEORGE PALMER[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Dana, 18 Oct., 1821; died 21 Oct., 1865; married first (published 4 April, 1843) Fidelia Fay, daughter of Martin and Elizabeth (Taylor) Rogers, of Hardwick, Mass., born 6 March, 1818. He married second, Mary H. Wise, of Malden. Residence, Minonk, Ill.

Children:

300. i. WARREN HENRY,[8] b. 27 May, 1844.
ii. ELLA MEHETABEL, b. 17 Aug., 1847; m. Robert Denby.
301. iii. FREDERICK PARKER, b. at Bristol, N. H., 2 April, 1855.
iv. MARY CATHERINE, b. at Minonk, Ill., 17 Dec., 1860.
v. SARAH EMMA, b. at Minonk, Ill., 4 Jan., 1863; d. 13 Oct., 1864.

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GEORGE WALKER[7] (*Asa*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, Mass., 5 Sept., 1807; died 13 Oct., 1882; married in 1871 Mrs. Anna McCormick, who died a few years later; no issue.

George W. Danforth came to Illinois soon after his brother Asa, probably in 1838. The two brothers started the manufacture of furniture at Washington, Ill., soon after their arrival. The first turning lathe used in their business was propelled by dog power. A general store was soon thereafter started in connection with their furniture factory. Merchandise was then traded for the products of the farmer, and wheat and hogs were the principal articles of the farmer's productions. To convert these articles into money, or such commodities as the people needed, they were hauled by teams to the Illinois River, a distance of 12 miles, and shipped by boat to St. Louis and New Orleans. There were a few flouring mills then in those parts, run mostly by water power, but they had all been financially disastrous to their owners. But these men thought a better

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Mr. Asa Hamilton Danforth,
Almon George Danforth,
George Chester Danforth,
Byron Danforth.

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mill, better managed, would enable them to manufacture flour at a profit, and be better than shipping the wheat, so they set about it and built the mill, then the largest in Central Illinois, and for several years, and until they retired from active mercantile pursuits, their milling enterprise was successful.

The partnership of the two brothers continued for 35 years, no books of account having been kept between them.

George W. was married about the year 1870 at the age of 64 years, to Mrs. Anna McCormick. He died a few years later, in Iroquois County, Ill., leaving no issue. His wife survived him some years.

George W. Danforth was a man of medium height, very active and energetic in his movements. He was of genial disposition, fond of his friends, and always ready to discuss questions of ethics, politics or religion. He was a democrat in his politics, and in religion identified with the Universalist church.

He was public spirited, and gave liberally and freely towards the building of schools, churches and railroads. In an early day he was a captain of militia, and from that time on he was known as Captain Danforth. He, with his brother Asa, became largely interested in swamp lands in Eastern and Central Illinois, from 1855 to 1870, and he foresaw what few others at that time did, that these lands would be the most valuable of any in Illinois, if only they could be drained, and he believed they could be. He devised the first and most effective ditching machine known at that time — a machine that was drawn by oxen and a capstan — and while later this was superceded by dredging machines, yet thousands of acres of prairie inhabited by water fowl and beaver, and like animals, were made to produce rich harvests of grain by the use of his invention. He seemed inspired with a desire to make waste places productive, and to plant trees and build houses — all for those to come after, and not for himself, because he required little for his personal use, his tastes being exceedingly simple and his personal requirements few. He was a far seeing, sagacious man, simple in habit, modest, upright, always doing something that was good to have done, beloved by all who knew him. He founded the town of Danforth, Ill.

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Asa Hamilton[7] (*Asa*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norton, Mass., 4 June, 1813; died 29 Nov., 1890; married at Pekin, Ill., 25 Feb., 1839, Catherine Ariana Rupert, of Point Pleasant, Macon Co., Va., b. 3. Dec., 1819.

When 21 years old he went with his brother George to Milford, Pa.,

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and soon after to Coshocton, O., where they engaged in the manufacture of Fan mills for the farmers. He travelled on foot to Peoria, Ill., a distance of 400 miles or more; George joined him, and they were prominent in the building up of the town of Washington, near by. [See previous article]. He established a banking house at Washington, which has been continued by his sons.

Children:

302. i. ALMON GEORGE,[8] b. 8 Dec., 1840.
303. ii. HENRY RUPERT, b. 3 Nov., 1842.
iii. LEMUEL ELON, b. 9 Aug., 1845; d. 31 Oct., 1866.
iv. HARRIET CORDELIA, b. 9 Dec., 1848; m. 9 Dec., 1868, Herman Walterford Snow, son of Thomas and Caroline (Wilbur) Snow, of Russelville, Ky., b. 9 Dec., 1848.

Extract from Congressional Directory—52d Congress:

Herman W. Snow, of Sheldon, Ills., was born in LaPorte co., Ind., July, 3, 1836; was brought up in Ky., until he was 13 years old; worked on a farm 5 years; educated himself; taught school several years; was admitted to the bar; enlisted as a private in the 139th Ill. Volunteer Infantry; served in Ills., Mo. and Ky., and rose to the rank of Captain; after expiration of enlistment re-enlisted in the 151st Ill. Infantry, and rose to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel; served in many of the Southern States, and was Provost-Marshal-General of Georgia on Major-General Steedman's staff; was with his regiment when Brigadier-General Wofford surrendered 10,400 Confederate troops to Steedman at Kingston, Ga.; at the expiration of service, resumed teaching in the Chicago High School for 3 years; was elected to the Ills. legislature; traveled extensively in the U. S.; studied Latin, Greek and French; was elected to the 53d Congress as a Democrat, receiving 15,427 votes, against 14,480 votes for Lewis E. Payson, Republican, and 793 votes for O. W. Stewart, Prohibitionist, and 93 votes scattering. Was elected Sergeant at arms of the 53d Congress, and served two years and a half.

Children of Herman W. and Harriet C. (Danforth) Snow:

1. *Katherine Florence Snow*, b. 20 Sept., 1869; m. 29 Jan., 1902, Hibbard Osborne Davis, only son of Mr. W. O. Davis, of Bloomington, Ill.; he is managing editor of the Bloomington Pantagraph.
2. *Lemuel Danforth Snow*, b. 20 April, 1873; m. 5 Oct., 1898, Virgie Minerva, dau. of Barton Bishopp, b. 13 March, 1874.
3. *George Frederick Snow*, b. 30 April, 1876.
4. *Portia Snow*, b. 11 July, 1888.

v. CAROLINE HENKEL, b. 5 June, 1854; m. 24 May, 1877, Zorah E. Patrick, M.D., of Chicago, Ill.

Children of Zorah E. and Caroline H. (Danforth) Patrick:

1. *Gertrude Genevieve Patrick*, b. 6 Nov., 1879.
2. *Cordelia Patrick*, b. 10 Jan., 1881.

vi. CATHERINE MAY, b. 12 June, 1860; m. in 1880, Leicester S. Rupert. Ch: Emily Rush Rupert, b. 18 Nov., 1881.

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HENRY WILLIAMS[7] (*Benjamin*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Nassau, N. Y., 14 Jan., 1823; married 24 Jan., 1844, Mariah, daughter of John and Sarah (Whyland) Peck, born in Poestenkill, N. Y., 18 Dec., 1823. She died 30 July, 1901. Residence, Troy, N. Y.

Children:

i. EMMA PHILOTTE,[8] b. 25 Sept., 1846; m. 5 July, 1887, Forestus Darwin Emerson, a native of Chelmsford. Child: Rebecca Darwin Emerson, d. in infancy. Residence, Glens Falls, N. Y.

ii. HENRY WILLIAMS, b. 26 Oct., 1848.

304. iii. LYSANDER BENJAMIN, b. 13 Feb., 1854.

iv. MARY AGNES, b. 31 May, 1856; a school teacher.

v. SUSAN J., b. 25 July, 1858; d. 22 March, 1860.

vi. HARRIET JONES, b. 14 Aug., 1860; m. 10 May, 1887, Lindley Willis, son of James C. and Lois (Eastman) Dean, b. in Vergennes, Vt. Residence, Fitchburg.

Children:

1. *Warren Danforth Dean*, d. in infancy.
2. *Danforth J. Dean*, d. in infancy.
3. *Henry Danforth Dean*, b. 15 May, 1895.

vii. IDA BALDWIN, b. 18 Oct., 1864.

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JOHN[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *John*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norwich, Conn., 15 Nov., 1798; died 3 Nov., 1878; married first, 9 Nov., 1822, Mercy Metcalf, born in 1803, died 15 March, 1860. He married second, in Nov., 1861, in Salem, Columbiana co., Mrs. Rebecca Kinnsman; she died 24 Jan., 1863. He resided till 1834 at Litchfield, then in New York, and then at Ellsworth, O.

Children:

i. LUCY E.,[8] b. 13 April, 1824; m. first, in Goshen, Mahoning Co., O.. 27 June, 1848 (his second wife), Humphrey Owen, b. in 1799; d. 24 Jan., 1863; m. second, 29 March, 1865, O. F. Matthews.

Children of Humphrey and Lucy E. (Danforth) Owen:

1. *George Hull Owen*, b. 16 May, 1849.
2. *William Walter Owen*, } b. 2 April, 1851.
3. *Walter William Owen*, }
4. *Charles Albert Owen*, b. 4 Aug., 1853.
5. *John Danforth Owen*, b. 8 Aug., 1855.

The above were burnt to death 12 March, 1860.

6. *Cyrus Reuben Owen*, b. 14 Dec., 1857; res. Diamond, O.
7. *Thomas Edwin Owen*, b. 2 March, 1860.

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8. *Martha Ellen Owen*, b. 12 June, 1862, d. 13 Oct., 1878; m. 1 July, 1878, John Diehl.

Child of O. F. and Lucy E. (Danforth) (Owen) Matthews:

1. *Alice Wilhelmina Matthews*, b, 19 March, 1867; m. Geo. Eschurode; res. Trumbull Co., O.

ii. SARAH E., b. 6 Oct., 1825; d. 21 Dec., 1857; m. James Armstrong (on old homestead, Ellsworth).

Children of James and Sarah E. (Danforth) Armstrong:

1. *Fred H. Armstrong*, b. in 1854.
2. *Mary E. Armstrong*, b. 10 June, 1855; m. 8 July, 1873, Richard N. Quay, of Salem, Columbiana Co., O., b. 1 May, 1854. Ch.: (1) William Alexander Quay, b. 10 June, 1874; (2) John Hammond Quay, b. 13 Feb., 1876; (3) Joseph Howard Quay, b. 9 Aug., 1878; (4) Melvin Roy Quay, b. 19 June, 1882; (5) Ella Jane Quay, b. 20 March, 1884.
3. *Jared H. Armstrong*, b. in 1857; res. Patmos.

iii. GEORGE H., b. 13 June, 1827, d. 3 Nov., 1833.

305. iv. SAMUEL C., b. 20 July, 1829.

v. WILLIAM, b. 10 Aug., 1832; d. 25 Sept., 1833.

vi. HARRIET M., b. 21 Aug., 1834; m. Napoleon Platt. He is dead. She res. 175 W. McCarthy St., Indianapolis.

vii. EDWIN, b. 27 March, 1837; lives with his bro.-in-law, James Armstrong, on old homestead, Ellsworth.

viii. PHEBE, b. 19 June, 1839; d. 30 July, 1874; m. Wm. H. Cattell, tel. operator, Mattoon, Ill. Ch.: 1. George Cattell; 2. Howard Cattell; 3. Deborah Cattell.

ix. HANNAH E., b. 1 April, 1842; d. 10 Oct., 1843.

x. JOHN D., b. 14 Oct., 1845; d. 14 May, 1864; in 125 Reg. Ohio Vols. in Sherman's march to the sea; killed in battle.

## 178.

JOSEPH H.[7] (*Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jaffrey, N. H., 19 Nov., 1787; died 30 Dec., 1870; lived some time in Chester, Vt.; removed to Wethersfield, Vt., where his children were all born. He married, 21 March, 1816, Margaret O'Brien, born in Schenectady, N. Y., 18 Jan., 1793, died in 1883.

Children:

i. FRANKLIN,[8] b. 9 May, 1817; d. 9 May, 1817.

306. ii. JAMES D., b. 20 Nov., 1818.

iii. CHARLES M., b. 31 March, 1821; d. 14 Feb., 1852.

iv. GEORGE, b. 23 June, 1823; d. 23 July, 1823.

v. LOUISA C., b. 12 Feb., 1825; now resides at Wethersfield Bow. She took charge of the postoffice in 1851, was commissioned

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Post Mistress in May, 1852, and filled the office with the approval of the Department and the confidence and praise of her neighbors *fifty years*, resigning in Sept., 1901. [See Boston Globe, Sept. 21, 1901.]

vi. SARAH E., b. 15 March, 1827; m. 25 Dec., 1851, Joseph B. Richardson, of Northfield, Vt.

Children of Joseph B. and Sarah E. (Danforth) Richardson:

1. *Mary L. Richardson*, b. 9 Dec., 1852.
2. *Harriet E. Richardson*, b. 12 April, 1854; d. 4 Aug., 1861.
3. *Katharine D. Richardson*, b. 12 March, 1868.

vii. FRANKLIN, b. 13 Aug., 1829; d. 16 July, 1859.
viii. WILLIAM H., b. 2 Nov., 1831; d. 28 Nov., 1843.
ix. MARGARET A., b. 12 Dec., 1834; d. 21 Sept., 1861.

## 179.

THOMAS[7] (*Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Springfield, Vt., 20 Oct., 1788; died 31 May, 1857; married, 12 Oct., 1814, Hannah Amanda Sterne, born in Claremont, N. H., 25 Sept., 1797, died 10 May, 1869, in Boston.

Children:

307. i. THOMAS HENRY,[8] b. in Claremont, 12 Aug., 1815; d. in Boston, 1 Aug., 1877.
308. ii. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. in Claremont, 12 Feb., 1817; d. 28 Aug., 1863.
309. iii. WILLIAM MORTIMER, b. in Woodstock, 17 Dec., 1819; d. 7 May, 1884.
iv. HELEN MARIA, b. in Woodstock, 12 March, 1822; d. 16 Aug., 1883; m. first, Francis Carr Germon; m. second, Geo. F. H. Youngs, of N. Y.
v. MARY ANN, b. in Woodstock, 18 June, 1824; d. in Woodstock, 7 Oct., 1825.
vi. MARY LOUISA, b. in Woodstock, 8 June, 1826; m. 19 Dec., 1841, James M., son of James and Mary (Curtis) Stevens, of Rye, N. H., b. in Boston, 22 May, 1821.

Children of James M. and Mary Louisa (Danforth) Stevens:

1. *George Edward Stevens*, b. in Boston, 30 March, 1842; d. 11 Aug., 1843.
2. *Harriet Stevens*, b. 4 April, 1845; m. (1) 7 June, 1866, Charles O., son of Albert and Susan Edwards, b. in Boston in 1844. She m. (2) 7 June, 1877, Eugene A., son of Samuel and Mary Jackson, b. in West Roxbury, 1837.
3. *Caroline Trowbridge Stevens*, b. 24 June, 1850; d. 3 March, 1852.

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4. *Helen Louisa Stevens*, b. 10 March, 1853.
5. *Caroline Goodman Stevens*, b. 20 Sept., 1859; d. 1 Oct., 1859.
6. *Charles Henry Stevens*, b. 7 March, 1861; m. 5 March, 1884, Jenny Gibbs, b. in Bath, Me.

310. vii. GEORGE ALEXANDER, b. in Woodstock, 17 Aug., 1828.
311. viii. EDWARD WARREN, b. in Woodstock, 28 Aug., 1830; d. in Boston, 6 July, 1882.
ix. EMELINE, b, in Woodstock, 27 Nov., 1832; married first, Edward W. Delaney, (son of William), born in Cambridge. Children: 1. *Edward Curtis Bailey Delaney*, b. in Boston, 11 Feb., 1854; 2. *Julia Delaney*, b. 17 June, 1856; 3. *James Henry Delaney*, b. 7 May, 1858; 4. *Eugene Delaney*. Mr. Delaney died in 1831. She married second, John Block, of New York City; she d. 27 Nov., 1832.

## 179*a*.

JOHN WARREN[7] (*Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Wethersfield, Vt., 10 May, 1811; died 10 Aug., 1875; married, 26 Jan., 1847, Mary, daughter of Henderson and Bethiah (Nesbitt) Gaylord, of Plymouth, Pa., born 23 Sept., 1826.

He removed first to Tolland, Conn., then to Buffalo, N. Y; then, about 1836, to Hartford, Conn., and resided there.

He and his brother William H. formed a partnership as wholesale grocers, which lasted until the death of the latter, after which he conducted the business alone.

Children (two eldest died in infancy):

i. ELLA,[8] b. 4 Aug., 1850; resides in Hartford.
ii. KATE, b. 17 Sept., 1853; d. 29 July, 1860.
iii. MARY, b. 23 Aug., 1862; m. 14 Jan., 1891, Charles Austin, son of Henry and Anna (Church) Pease, of Hartford, Conn., b. 6 Oct., 1857.
311-1. iv. JOSEPH WARREN, b. 30 March, 1866; moved to New York City in 1897; member of the firm of Simpson & Hendee, grain dealers, and member of the N. Y. Produce Exchange; m. 10 Oct., 1898, Maude Hough Welles, dau. of Harmon and Julia (Lane) Hough, of San Francisco, Cal.

Child:

*John Warren*[9] b. 9 Oct., 1899.

## 179*b*.

WILLIAM HUNTINGTON[7] (*Joseph*, [6]*Thomas*[5], *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]),* born in Wethersfield, Vt., in Sept. 1812; died in Hartford, Conn., in Dec. 1860; married Sarah Willey.

* This article corrects the statement on page 114.

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Children:

i. GEORGE,[8] b. about 1841; res. at Scranton, Pa.
ii. EDWARD, b. about 1845; became a clergyman; at one time missionary and agent on Indian reservation; later res. in New York city.

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STEARNS[7] (*John*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica about 1798; married first, Lydia, daughter of Jotham Blood. He married second, April 28, 1833, Sophronia Gould, of Charlestown. He resided successively at Concord, Woburn, Charlestown and Billerica, as we learn from the records of his sons' marriages and from deeds of land; was "of Lowell" in 1833, and "of Charlestown" in 1834.

He sold, 1 Jan., 1834, "part of the homestead farm of Jotham Blood, late of Concord, being that part which was set off as the portion of his eldest daughter Lydia Blood."

Children:

311*a*. i. AMARIAH,[8] b. "at Concord" about 1819.
312. ii. EDWIN S., b. "at Woburn" about 1840.
313. iii. ROBERT H., b. "at Charlestown" in 1833.
314. iv. ALBERT H., b. about 1835 "in Billerica."

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SILAS[7] (*John*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 8 Feb., 1800; died in Little Falls, N. Y., 7 May, 1847; married, 21 Dec., 1826, at Enfield, N. H., by Rev. Mr. Cowles, Alpa, daughter of John and Dolly (Cochran) Bean, born in Enfield, N. H., 13 Feb., 1804, died at Eaton, N. Y., 8 Feb., 1872.

Children:

i. HESTER ANN,[8] b. in Enfield, 21 Nov., 1827; d. in Eaton, N. Y., 4 Dec., 1866; m. in June, 1864, Casimir Pardoe, b. in Paris, France; resides at Eaton, N. Y.

Child:

*Arthur Milton Pardoe*, b. 12 Sept., 1866; a druggist at Cortland, N. Y.

ii. PHILOSSA MARIE, b. in Enfield, N. H., 1 Oct., 1829; d. in Eaton, N. Y., 24 Nov., 1877.
iii. SUSAN AMERILLA, b. in Lyndon, Vt., 14 Nov., 1831; m. at Hamilton, N. Y., 28 May, 1854, Henry Clark Palmer.

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Children of Henry C. and Susan A. (Danforth) Palmer:

1. *Henry Danforth Palmer*, b. at Eaton, N. Y., 27 May, 1855; proprietor of hotel at Monmouth, Ill.
2. *William Wallace Palmer*, b. 22 April, 1857; a merchant at Eaton.
3. *Cora S. Palmer*, b. 2 July, 1858; m. at West Eaton, 1 Sept., 1881, Charles Fuller Clark, a physician at Dunlap, Ia.

   Child: Mildred Clark, b. 8 Dec., 1882.
4. *Ephraim Clark Palmer*, b. 19 June, 1860.
5. *Walter V. Palmer*, b. 15 June, 1870.

iv. ELVIRA RACHEL, b. in Kirby, Vt., 14 Aug., 1833; m. 3 June, 1855, William Robert Dellow, b. 2 April, 1834; res. Marathon, N. Y.; cabinet maker.

Children of Wm. R. and Elvira R. (Danforth) Dellow:

1. *Frank Sidney Dellow*, b, 7 Dec., 1857; m. 12 Oct., 1881, Susan Ogden, b. in 1856.

   Child: Frank Ogden Dellow.
2. *Frederick S. Dellow*, b. 8 Oct., 1859.
3. *Harriet L. Dellow*, b. 9 May, 1869.

v. MATILDA MERCY, b. in Kirby, Vt., 9 July, 1835; d. in East Saginaw, Mich., 23 March, 1879; m. in Hamilton, N. Y., 12 Sept., 1854, Erastus Fisk Wellington, son of Fisk W. of West Eaton, N. Y.; res. in East Saginaw, Mich.; salesman.

Children of Erastus Fisk and Matilda Mercy (Danforth) Wellington:

1. *Charles Erastus Wellington*, b. 20 Aug., 1855; m. in East Saginaw, 12 Jan., 1880, Ettie Gibbs, b. in Detroit, Mich., in 1856.

   Child: Earl Wellington Gibbs, b. at East Saginaw, 7 Dec., 1882.
2. *Alice Jane Wellington*, b. in Hamilton, 25 March, 1859.

315. vi. SILAS LORENZO, b. at Root, N. Y., 28 Sept., 1838.

vii. HELENA AGNES, b. in Glen, N. Y., 30 June, 1840; m. in Cincinnatus, Cortland co., 5 Sept., 1874, Andrew H. Whitmarsh, b. in Smithville, Chenango co., N. Y.; res. Cortland.

Children of Andrew H. and Helena Agnes (Danforth) Whitmarsh:

1. *Mabel S. Whitmarsh*, b. in Willitt, 10 Aug., 1875.
2. *Ira Danforth Whitmarsh*, b. in Cortland, 14 Aug., 1878.
3. *Arthur Earl Whitmarsh*, b. in Cortland, 14 Nov., 1880.
4. *Harry P. Whitmarsh*, b. in Cortland, 30 Oct., 1883; d. 23 May, 1884.

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viii. MELISSA FRANCES, b. at St. Johnsville, N. Y., 21 March, 1843; d. 2 April, 1843.

ix. JULIA AUGUSTA, b. 1 March, 1844; m. first, at Eaton, N. Y., in 1867, Sylvester, son of David and Phebe (Lucas) Gilmore, b. 11 April, 1820. He was a mechanic; resided at Oriskany Falls, Oneida co., N. Y. She m. second, —— Lucas. Residence (1893), Topeka, Kansas.

Children of Sylvester and Julia Augusta (Danforth) Gilmore:

1. *Derwood Sylvester Gilmore*, b. 12 Nov., 1868.
2. *Norman Lynn Gilmore*, b. 26 Feb., 1872.
3. *Howard Danforth Gilmore*, b. 14 March, 1876.
4. *Reba Evelina Gilmore*, b. 19 March, 1878.

316. x. MILTON EMERY, b. 7 Aug., 1846, at Little Falls.

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BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 11 April, 1801; died 15 April, 1887; married 15 May, 1828, Lydia, daughter of Jonathan and Lydia (Dow) Cass, of Candia, N. H., born 14 Sept., 1801, died 28 July, 1888. He resided at Rindge, N. H.: was a farmer; captain of "The Rindge and Jaffrey Cavalry Company" four years.

Children:

317. i. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN,[7] b. 10 Feb., 1826.

ii. ABIGAIL DAVIS, b. 3 May, 1835; m. Dexter Dickinson, of Keene, N. H., since res. at Aurora, Ill.

Children of Dexter and Abigail Davis (Danforth) Dickinson:

1. *Cora Frances Dickinson.*
2. *Charles Dickinson.*
3. *Edward Dickinson.*

iii. LYDIA ANN, b. 21 June, 1836; d, 14 April, 1884; m. at Fitchburg, 25 March, 1863, Charles Sumner Walton, a miller, of Rindge, N. H., b. at New Ipswich, N. H., 3 April, 1837.

Children of Charles S. and Lydia A. (Danforth) Walton:

1. *William Henry Walton*, b. 10 Aug., 1866; m. 20 Sept., 1886, Harriet Angus, of Worcester.
2. *Harriet Amanda Walton*, b. 29 Dec., 1869; m. Frank Farmer of Princeton.
3. *Ellen Frances Walton*, b. 4 Aug., 1874; d. 1 Jan., 1875.
4. *Herbert Dexter Walton*, b. 24 Oct., 1876.

iv. IRENE AMANDA, b. 26 Oct., 1840; m. James Emery Carr, b. 30 Dec., 1833, son of Emery and Abby (Rice) Carr; res. New Ipswich, N. H., near Rindge line, where he has a sawmill.

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JOHN[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rindge, N. H., 3 March, 1806; died 22 Sept., 1843, at Lowell; married Sophia Haynes, of Waltham. She survived her husband; was appointed guardian of her children Charles, "aged 7," and Mary Ellen, "aged 5," Dec. 2, 1845. She died in Oct., 1873.

Children:

318. i. CHARLES HENRY,[8] b. 24 Aug., 1839.
ii. MARY ELLEN, b. in 1841; d. 28 July, 1860; m. George Balley, of St. Johnsbury.
iii. SOPHIA.

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JONATHAN[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hollis, N. H., 27 July, 1772; died in spring of 1854 "aged 84"; married 2 Feb., 1797, Mary or Polly Sinclair, who died about 1819. Removed to Danville, Vt.

Children. ("They had twelve"):

319. i. JONATHAN.[8]
320. ii. EBENEZER, b. 1802.
321. iii. JAMES, b. 3 July, 1805.
iv. MATILDA, m. Richard Hawley; res. Elkhart, Ind.
v. CYNTHIA, m. Hiram Houghton.
vi. CHESTER.
vii. BETSEY, m. Lyman Harvey, Barnet, Vt.
viii. HARRIET, m. Owen White; they had four children, one of whom, Harriet, m. Curtis Woods; res. Barnet, Vt.
322. ix. CALVIN.

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LEONARD[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 9 April, 1777; died 9 Feb., 1850; married Mary, daughter of William and ——— (Campbell) Henry, born 11 Sept., 1780.

Children, all born in Danville:

333*a*. i. LEONARD,[8] b. 24 Aug., 1801.
ii. LEWIS, b. 19 Feb., 1803; m. Mary Judkins.
iii. MARY, b. 22 May, 1805; m. John Sargent.
iv. BETSEY, b. 21 April, 1809; d. early.
v. BETSEY, b. 7 March, 1811; m. first, Jason Eaton Judkins, son of James and Betsey (Bowers), b. 26 June, 1811; d. 9 March, 1869. She m. second, —— Gray.

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Children of Jason Eaton and Betsey (Danforth) Judkins:

1. *Mary J. Judkins*, b. 23 Oct., 1840; m. 2 March, 1867, William, son of Peter and Margaret (Loring) Lindsay.
2. *Harvey D. Judkins*, b. 8 May, 1843; m. May, 1866, Narcissa, dau. of Royal Scott; she d. 12 March, 1886.
3. *Ellen M. Judkins*, b. 28 Oct., 1845; m. 28 Oct., 1866, William Smith.
4. *James Judkins*, m. Della Miller.
5. *Drury A. Judkins*, b. 8 Dec., 1849; d. 23 Feb., 1887; m. Emma Heath.
6. *John M. Judkins*, b. 31 July, 1851; m. 15 Nov., 1875, Dorothy Harney, dau. of Peter Harney.
7. *George C. Judkins*, b. 30 Dec., 1853; d. 29 June, 1879; m. 1874, Anna Noyes.
8. *Martha I. Judkins*, b. 9 Nov., 1857; m. 25 Dec., 1886, Edw. L. Farrer.
9. *Miranda A. Judkins*, b. 3 Aug., 1859; m. 11 Oct., 1881, John D. Lang, son of John and Nancy (Somers) Lang.

vi. LOUISA, b. 29 Jan., 1813; m. Col. Wm. Harrison Harris.

322b. vii. ALBERT GRISWOLD, b. 31 Dec., 1814.

viii. FLORINDA MORSE, b. 15 Jan., 1817; m. 14 April, 1842, Alvin, son of John and Cynthia (Chamberlin) Bolton, b. at Danville, 14 Jan., 1817, d. 13 Feb., 1862.

Children of Alvin and Florinda M. (Danforth) Bolton:

1. *Henry D. Bolton*, b. 31 May, 1844; m. (1) Hannah Flanders, dau. of Royal and Hannah (Jacobs) Blodgett, b. 1843, d. 25 Feb., 1878. He m. (2) 3 Nov., 1880, Jane L., dau. of John and Janette (Leitch) Adams, b. 7 July, 1844.
2. *Eugene P. Bolton*, b. 11 Sept., 1846; m. at Osaka, Minn., 9 April, 1872, Lillian Culver, b. Brooklyn, N. Y.
3. *Abby W. Bolton*, b. 14 May, 1849; m. 17 Aug., 1872, Richard W. Haynes.
4. *Martin S. Bolton*, b. 9 June, 1855; m. 3 July, 1879, Helen S., dau. of Orin and Randilla (Wheeler) Brown.

ix. HENRY CAMMELL, b. 14 Jan., 1819; m. Irene Dearborn.

322c. x. HARVEY BLANCHARD, b. 20 Jan., 1821.

xi. DIANTHE JANE, b. 20 Dec., 1823; m. George Corser.

## 185.

CAPTAIN DAVID[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hollis, N. H., 15 May,

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1779; died about 1832-3; resided at Fort Covington, Franklin co., N. Y.; married Paulina (Polly) Richmond, born about 1807; died in 1886.

Children:

i. NANCY MARIA,[8] m. George Bremmer, of Alburg, Grand Isle co., Vt.; d. in 1889 in his 90th year; went first to Bombay (Franklin co.), N. Y., then to Brasher (St. Lawrence co.), then to Plover (Portage co.), Wis. She d. in 1886 in her 79th year.

Children of George and Nancy M. (Danforth) Bremmer:

1. *Adelia Bremmer*, m. —— Burns, res. Bombay (Franklin co.), N. Y.
2. *George D. Bremmer*, drowned (æ. 25) in Wisconsin river.
3. *William Wallace Bremmer*, d. (æ. 25) of consumption.
4. *Sheridan Oscar Bremmer*, res. Plover, Wis.
5. *Adelia Bremmer.*
6. *Clara Eudora Bremmer*, m. B. F. Felch, atty. at law, Valentine, Neb. Ch.: Mrs. Ella U. Rowley, of Kennedy, Neb., and Mr. P. G. Felch, of Edgemont, So. Dak.
7. *James Alexander Bremmer*, m. ——; res. Stevens Plains, Wis.
8. *Helen Elizabeth Bremmer*, m. A. McAulay.
9. } *Julius.*
10. } *Juliet.*

ii. RICHMOND.
iii. CAROLINE, m. —— Brodwell.
iv. ALZINA (ALSINAH), m. —— Cowen, res. Rhinelander, Wis.
v. DAVID.
vi. CLARISSA, m. Col. J. S. Albon; died; both buried in Plover cemetery.
vii. HENRY.
viii. GEORGE.
ix. DELILAH PAULINA, m. —— Hall, res. Menosa, Winnebago co., Wis.

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LUTHER[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 Oct., 1781; died 4 April, 1857; married 14 June, 1807, Henrietta Ellsworth, born 1 May, 1786, died 2 April, 1841. Three of his sons became ministers and two daughters married ministers. Residence, Fort Covington, N. Y.

Children:

i. HARRIET,[8] b. 12 April, 1808; d. 11 June, 1847; m. 26 Dec., 1830, Cornelius Stafford.

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Children of Cornelius and Harriet (Danforth) Stafford:

1. *Cortland Calvin Stafford.*
2. *Henry Stafford.*
3. *Emily Stafford.*
4. *Adeline Stafford.*

ii. CALVIN, b. 28 Nov., 1809; became a clergyman; d. in Florida, 15 May, 1839.

iii. EMILY SUSAN, b. 26 July, 1811; d. 30 Jan., 1830.

iv. PAULINA, b. 7 March, 1813; m. 21 Aug., 1832, Rev. George C. Woodruff.

Children of George C. and Paulina (Danforth) Woodruff:

1. *Elizabeth J. Woodruff*, b. 25 Feb., 1837.
2. *Leroy E. Woodruff*, b. 13 Oct., 1839.
3. *Mary J. Woodruff*, b. 18 April, 18—.
4. *Gertrude S. Woodruff*, b. 16 Aug., 1850.
5. *George H. Woodruff*, b. 15 Oct., 1853.

v. BETSEY REBECCA, b. 12 March, 1815; d. 1 June, 1884; m. 31 May, 1838, Rev. Thomas Richey; he d. 10 July, 1892.

Children of Thomas and Betsey Rebecca (Danforth) Richey:

1. *Calvin Danforth Richey*, b. 16 May, 1839.
2. *James Melvin Richey*, b. 29 July, 1842.
3. *Thomas Melville Richey*, b. 22 Nov., 1843.
4. *Elizabeth Embury Richey*, b. 17 June, 1846; resides in Watertown, N. Y.
5. *William Wilbur Richey*, b. 27 Dec., 1848.
6. *Harriet Alice Richey*, b. 14 Sept., 1855.

vi. ELVIRA, b. 3 June, 1817, d. 1 Oct., 1865; m. 7 Feb., 1841, Charles P. Winters.

Children of Charles P. and Elvira (Danforth) Winters:

1. *Mary Louisa Winters*, b. 13 March, 1842.
2. *George W. Winters*, b. 29 March, 1847.
3. *Horace Melvin Winters*, b. 12 July, 1850.
4. *Harriet Ada Winters*, b. 9 July, 1853.

323. vii. LUTHER WARREN, b. 17 Sept., 1819.

viii. MARIA SUSAN, b. 7 April, 1822, d. 1872?; m. 7 July, 1842, Solon Broadwell.

324. ix. ALBON JAMES, b. 7 Aug., 1824.

325. x. HORACE MELVIN, b. 8 Nov., 1828.

326. xi. STANLEY FABER, b. 12 Aug., 1829.

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ASA[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hollis, N. H., 14 Oct., 1785; married Miranda Richmond.

Children:

i. ALBERT.[8]

ii. SOPHIA.

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ELI[7] (*David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born Washington, N. H., 27 Oct., 1773; married Mrs. Lodema Bryant. No children.

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ISRAEL[7] (*David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Washington, N. H., 25 June, 1775; died at Norridgewock, Me., 14 Aug., 1855; married 16 Jan., 1806, Sarah, daughter of David and Abigail (Brigham) Waite, born in Marlboro', Mass., 4 Feb., 1782; died at Norridgewock, 2 Jan., 1866. He was a saddler and tavern keeper. Removed from Washington, N. H., to Norridgewock, Me., in 1803.

His wife, Sally Waite, had resided in Groton, and went thence to Norridgewock at the age of 18, accompanying a family of the name of Loring. The long journey was made on horseback, the women and children seated on pillions behind the men. Much of the way was by bridle paths where there were no roads. They carried their provisions and encamped at night, or found shelter in the log cabin of a solitary settler. They settled first at Solon on the Kennebec, but soon went back to Norridgewock. Here the young Sally, with characteristic energy, supported herself by housework, spinning and teaching school. For the marriage, in 1806, the bridal trousseau was spun and woven by the bride's own hands from flax raised in the neighborhood. Fine linen undergarments, the products of her skill, are still preserved in the family, and the diapered tablecloths still in use. The young couple built for themselves a house, and in 1814 opened a hotel which for 60 years was famed far and wide for its tidy rooms, its good beds, and its neat and wholesome cookery. Many a tired traveler has lengthened his day's ride to reach that desirable place of rest. Of the eleven children ten reached mature age. Industry and economy were habitual, and books and schools were considered of first importance. It is told of one of the daughters that she was once (probably often) seen stirring with one hand the roasting coffee, and the other holding an open scientific book, while the baby sat contented in her lap. Home-made garments, stockings, blankets, carpets, were produced without shoddy from wool raised on the premises. Integrity and uprightness were taught by precept and example, and prosperity and the respect of the community followed as a natural result.

Children:

i. HANNAH,[8] b. 16 Sept., 1806; d. 4 Nov., 1870.
ii. SARAH, b. 1 Dec., 1807; d. 26 May, 1875.

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iii. MARTHA, b. 11 April, 1809; d. 26 Oct., 1890.
iv. DAVID, b. 17 March, 1811; d. 17 Jan., 1884.
327. v. ISAAC, b. 20 Nov., 1812.
328. vi. CHARLES, b. 1 Aug., 1815.
329. vii. FRANKLIN, b. 16 July, 1817.
viii. CALVIN, b. 26 April, 1819; m. Emma Davis.
ix. EMILY, b. 5 Feb., 1821.
x. JULIA, b. 14 March, 1823; d. 18 July, 1838.
xi. GEORGE, b. 8 Feb., 1825; d. 27 Sept., 1826.

190.

DAVID[7] (*David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Washington, N. H., 25 April, 1779; lived with his father on the place where he was born. Married, 12 Dec., 1804, Eleanor Haynes, of Washington. He died in Claremont, N. H.

Children:

i. DAVID,[8] b. 18 Feb., 1811; went south.
ii. HEPSEY (HEPZIBAH), b. in Oct., 1806; m. Thomas D. Brooks of Alstead, N. H.

191.

JONATHAN[7] (*David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Washington, N. H., 13 Feb., 1783; died 26 Nov., 1863; married first, 4 April, 1805, Martha C. ("Patty") Barney, born about 1780; died aged 47, 27 July, 1827. Spent his life in his native town.

He married second, Anna, daughter of Nathaniel Draper, born 25 Jan., 1784; died 10 Feb., 1875.

Children:

i. HANNAH,[8] d. 10 days old.
ii. HANNAH, b. 22 April, 1803; m. in 1833 Samuel S. Cook of Bradford, N. H.; he d. in 1872.
iii. DAVID, d. young.
iv. MARTHA, b. 7 Feb., 1814; m. Joseph Parsons Hoyt of Waltham, Mass., b. 12 Sept., 1813.
v. SARAH, b. 4 Oct., 1817; m. Harvey M. Bowman of Newport, b. 8 July, 1818.
vi. JONATHAN NEWELL, b. 1 Feb., 1819; d. in Sept., 1846.
vii. ISAAC NEWTON, b. 31 March, 1821; d. in Providence, 25 Oct., 1846.

192.

ISAAC[7] (*David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 Sept., 1785; (his gravestone at Mt. Auburn

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says 1789); died at Concord, N. H., in 1862; married at Concord, N. H., 26 Oct., 1815 (intention at Boston 28 Sept., 1815), Dolly Hutchins of Concord, born in 1790, died in 1857. He was many years a wholesale grocer in Boston, removing his residence in 1854 to Concord, N. H., where he died. In the war of 1812 was a member of Boston Light Infantry, on duty at Fort Strong, now Fort Warren.

Children:

330. i. JAMES HUTCHINS,[6] b. in Boston, 7 July, 1817.
331. ii. GEORGE FRANKLIN, b. in Boston, 15 July, 1819.
iii. ELIZABETH JANE, b. in Boston, 9 July, 1821; d. 4 Sept., 1823.
332. iv. ISAAC WARREN, b. about 1826.
333. v. CHARLES HUTCHINS, b. 16 July [1825].

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AARON[7] (*Benjamin*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born [in Tewksbury] 10 Dec., 1779; married 5 Feb., 1805, Sarah, daughter of Timothy and Susanna [Mary] (Sanders) Crosby, of Billerica, and there made his home. Resided in the ancient "garrison house" since owned by James Fletcher. He removed to Hallowell, Me., and there died 22 March, 1872, at the home of his son, George H. The wife died 2 Jan., 1858.

Children:

i. SARAH, b. 27 June, 1805; m. 15 March, 1829, Varnum Waugh, of Roxbury; d. in Sept., 1864. Varnum Waugh, b. 3 April, 1803, d. 30 Dec., 1880. Res. Billerica.

Children of Varnum and Sarah (Danforth) Waugh:

1. *Almira Spaulding Barber Waugh*, b. 17 June, 1832; m. 4 April, 1855, Moses Albert, son of Moses Hatch and Charlotte (Cahoon) Swift, b. in Taunton, 4 April, 1832.
2. *Sylvester Danforth Waugh*, b. 19 April, 1834; m. 3 June, 1860, Sarah A. Scott, b. at St. Croix, N. S.

383*a*. ii. AARON, b. 17 Oct., 1807; lived in Portland, Me.; m. Elizabeth S., dau. of Nathaniel and Annie (Mitchell) Cobb., b. in P., 8 Oct., 1813; d. 16 March, 1877.
iii. SYLVESTER, b. 29 Sept., 1809; d. 21 June, 1833.
334. iv. CHARLES, b. 27 Dec., 1811.
v. MARY ANN, b. 10 Aug., 1814; m. 30 Nov., 1837, David C. Webber, of Halifax, N. S.; d. 20 April, 1848.

Children of David C. and Mary A. (Danforth) Webber:

1. *Lucy Ann Webber*, d. in childhood.
2. *Harriet Maria Webber*, d. in childhood.

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vi. SUSAN CROSBY, b. 6 Nov., 1816; m. Nathaniel Webber Hastings of Roxbury, b. 3 Jan., 1817, son of Joseph and Melinda (Livermore) Hastings. Residence, Taunton.

Children of Nathaniel W. and Susan C. (Danforth) Hastings:

1. *Francis Bernard Hastings*, b. 8 Feb., 1845.
2. *Joseph Henry Hastings*, b. 18 March, 1847; m. 12 June, 1872, Sarah Ann, dau. of Thomas and Sarah Ann (Burley) Reynolds, b. 30 April, 1845.
3. *Susan Hastings*, b. 18 Feb., 1852.
4. *Frances Almira Hastings*, b. 17 June, 1855; m. 7 Sept., 1878, Samuel Adams, son of James Granville and Julia (Adams) Young, b. 10 Jan., 1852.
5. *Lucy Ann Hastings*, b. 3 May, d. 6 Oct., 1857.
6. *William Hastings*, b. 31 Aug., 1859, d. 21 Aug., 1862.

vii. ABIGAIL JAQUITH, b. 2 Feb., 1819; m. 21 Nov., 1843, Amos, son of Amos and Lydia (Needham) Marston, b. at Tewksbury, 13 Jan., 1817.

Children of Amos and Abigail J. (Danforth) Marston:

1. *Hannah Maria Marston*, b. 4 Jan., 1845; d. 24 March, 1865.
2. *Charles David Marston*, b. 6 Jan., 1846.
3. *Larkin Jefferson Marston*, b. 3 Dec., 1847.
4. *Willian Henry Marston*, b. 23 Oct., 1849; m. in Feb., 1879, Emma Alice Chase, of Billerica.
5. *John Brarity Marston*, b. 6 Aug., 1851; d. y.
6. *John Brarity Marston*, b. 26 Aug., 1853; m. in 1856, Abby Maria Fuller, b. in Billerica, d. in 1877.
7. *Lydia Ann Marston*, b. 6 Aug., 1855; m. May, 1873, Albert Brown Chapman, of Tewksbury.
8. *George Edwin Marston*, b. 3 Oct., 1857; d. 13 April, 1865.
9. *Abby Ellen Marston*, b. 10 July, 1860; d. 12 March, 1865.
10. *Dudley Amos Marston*, b. 14 Feb., 1863; d. 4 Feb., 1864.

viii. HANNAH MARIA, b. 25 Dec., 1822; d. 18 March, 1839.
ix. CAROLINE LOUISA, b. 22 June, 1825; d. 28 Feb., 1845.
335. x. GEORGE HENRY, b. 14 Feb., 1827.
xi. JOSEPH BERNARD, b. 15 April, d. 8 Dec., 1829.
336. xii. JOSEPH VARNUM, b. 2 May, 1831.

## 193.

JONATHAN[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hillsboro, N. H., 5 May, 1788; died 22 Dec., 1876; married first, 29 Nov., 1814, Catherine Duncklee, of Greenfield, born 11 Dec., 1786; died 26 May, 1838. He married second, 21 June, 1840, Betsey Austin of Hillsboro,

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born 1 July, 1793, died 5 March, 1863. He was a shoemaker; resided in Hillsboro, N. H.

Children:

336*a*. i. ORAMEL,[8] b. 14 Aug., 1815.

ii. CATHARINE, b. 20 May, 1817; d. at Topsham, Vt., 27 Dec., 1875; m. 27 April, 1842, John Willey of Sheffield, Vt.

Children of John and Catherine (Danforth) Willey:

1. *Oramel Danforth Willey*, b. 15 Jan. 1843; res. Topsham, Vt.
2. *Charles Henry Willey*, b. 8 June, 1844.
3. *Frank Willey.* } b. 19 July, 1846.
4. *Frances A. Willey,* }
5. *Lucian E. Willey*, b. 6 April, 1848.
6. *Eugene V. Willey.* } b. 10 June, 1850.
7. *Emma V. Willey.* }
8. *George K. Willey*, b. 11 May, 1852.
9. *Delia C. Willey*, b. 6 Nov. 1854.
10. *Everett E. Willey*, b. 18 May, 1860.

iii. ELIZA ANN, b. 21 Dec., 1818; d. in Groton, Mass., 12 Dec., 1865; m. 3 July, 1843, Reuben Lewis, b. 13 Sept., 1816; res. Groton.

Child of Reuben and Eliza A. (Danforth) Lewis:

*Charles Henry Lewis*, b. 19 Feb., 1846; m. Lucy Moors of Groton; one son, Joseph Danforth Lewis.

iv. FRANCIS NEWTON, b. 2 July, 1820, died 17 Feb., 1821.

v. ELECTA JANE, b. 2 July, 1822; m. 16 Sept., 1851, Elias Legrow, b. in Windham, Me., 20 Oct., 1824; res. in Everett, Mass.

Children of Elias and Electa J. (Danforth) Legrow:

1. *Emily Hannah Legrow*, b. in Windham, Me., 11 June, 1852.
2. *Edward Frank Legrow*, b. 17 June, 1854, d. 9 Dec., 1873.
3. *Ada Eliza Legrow*, b. in Dorchester, Mass., 6 July, 1867; res. in Everett, Mass.

vi. ALMIRA, b. 4 Sept., 1824; m. 6 Sept., 1848, William Thorp of Weare, N. H., b. in Derby, Eng.; res. Tilton, N. H. In 16th Regt. N. H. Vols.; d. at Mound City Hospital, Cairo, Ill., 6 Sept., 1863.

Children of William and Almira (Danforth) Thorp:

1. *Frank D. Thorp*, b. 24 May, 1849; m. at Manchester, N. H., 29 Nov., 1875, Emma Boutelle. One child, Louis Ashton Thorp.
2. *Frederick Edwin Thorp*, b. 5 April, 1852; m. Adella P. Durrell. Children: (1) Jesse Leroy Thorp; (2) Burton Thorp.
3. *Ella T. Thorp*, b. 19 July, 1855; grad. 1876 N. H. Conf. Sem. and Fem. Coll.; taught school 8 years;

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m. 14 May, 1879, Homer Kessler, Logansport, life insurance agent. He now (1902) resides in Chicago, Ill.; is clerk in Zion's College and Divine Healing Home, under Rev. J. A. Dowie. Children: (1) John Baer Kessler, b. 28 Oct., 1882; (2) Homer Kessler, b. 15 April, 1886; (3) Sylvia Kessler, b. 4 Dec., 1887.

4. *Emma Flora* (twin of Ella), m. 1 May, 1883, John Franklin Durrell, son of John Sanborn and Mary Ann (Kelly) Durrell, b. at Gilmanton, N. H., 13 Dec., 1855. Residence, Melrose.

Children of John F. and Emma F. (Thorp) Durrell:

(1) Stella May Durrell, b. 16 July, 1885.
(2) Josephine Durrell, b. 12 Oct., 1888.
(3) Philip Merton Durrell, b. 23 April, d. 23 Oct., 1890.
(4) Pauline Durrell, b. 3 Oct., 1891.
(5) Clarence Leslie Durrell, b. 14 March, 1893.

5. *Clara*; m. —— Wyatt, of Tilton, N. H.

336b. vii. JONATHAN, b. 14 Nov., 1826.
viii. ERASTUS, b. 29 June, 1829; d. 28 Jan., 1830.

194.

BENJAMIN[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hillsboro, N. H., 30 Aug., 1789; died 16 Sept., 1867; married 9 Nov., 1812, Lucy, daughter of Archelaus and Lucy (Weston) Towne, of Hillsboro, born 23 April, 1789, died 5 Dec., 1863. He was a blacksmith. Resided some time in Weare; removed to Hillsboro.

Children:

i. ESTHER,[8] b. in Weare, 12 Dec., 1814; d. at Unity, 30 June, 1870; m. in Aug., 1838, Rev. Amos Kidder, Methodist minister, of Weare.
336c. ii. EBEN TOWNE, b. in Weare, 31 March, 1820.
iii. MARY ANN, b. in Weare, 17 May, 1828; res. Hillsboro.

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REV. FRANCIS[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hillsboro, N. H., 28 Feb., 1793; died in Clarence, N. Y., 29 Jan., 1854; married first, 14 July, 1823, at Royalton, Vermont (Sharon, Vt.?), Sarah Marsh, daughter of Daniel Harrington and Hannah (Marsh) Park, of Royalton, Vt., born 11 April, 1799, died at South Hadley, Mass., 15 Oct., 1841. He married second, 1 Aug., 1842, Elizabeth W. Dole, of Claremont, N. H.; she died 13 Oct., 1842. He married third, 1 Oct., 1844, Susan Balding, of Lakeville, N. H.; she died at Jasper, N. Y., 26 Nov., 1882.

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He fitted for college at Phillips Academy, Andover, and graduated from Dartmouth College in 1819, and from Andover Theological Seminary in 1822; was ordained pastor of First Congregational Church, Greenfield, N. H., July 11, 1823, resigned 1831; installed at Winchester, N. H., Aug. 8, 1831; resigned 1839; installed at Old Hadley, Mass., 11 Dec., 1839.

Children:

i. FRANCIS BROWN,[8] b, in Greenfield, N. H., 20 May, 1826; d. unm. at Clarence, N. Y.

ii. EDWARD, b. in Winchester, N. H., 4 Dec., 1828; d. 13 June, 1888.

"Professor Edward Danforth, secretary of the N. Y. State Sunday School Association, died at Elmira, N. Y., Wednesday, June 13, 1888. For many years he was actively engaged in Sunday School Institute work. He had been superintendent of the schools of Troy, N. Y., of Grand Rapids, Mich., principal of the Union schools of Leroy and Batavia; school commissioner of Erie co., and deputy state superintendent of Public Instruction. He was the twenty-third president of the State Sunday School Association and ten years its secrerary." [Boston Transcript, June 14, 1888.]

At the time of his death the State Sunday School convention was in session in Rochester. On receipt by telegraph of tidings of his death, a committee was appointed who went to Elmira and bore the remains thence to Rochester, where in the Brick Church a vast congregation were assembled and in waiting. Memorial services were held, and on the following day the remains were borne to Clarence, Erie co., for interment. His memory will long be cherished as a model Christian man, devoted to useful work, well qualified, efficient, faithful and modest.

iii. MARIA, b. 1 March, 1831; d. at Hadley, Mass., 9 Sept., 1842.

iv. SARAH ADELAIDE, b. 4 May, 1834.

v. LOUISA, b. 30 Nov., 1836; d. at Grand Rapids, Mich., 20 March, 1859.

vi. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Hadley, 27 May, 1840; d. 16 Aug. 1841.

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ROBERT[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 6 May, 1782; died at Ogden, N. Y., 27 Feb., 1872; married in Hillsboro, N. H., 26 Nov., 1801, Betsey Dowe, born in Londonderry, N, H., 21 Nov., 1775; died 24 June, 1852.

He removed to Antrim; returned to Hillsboro; went thence to Royalton, Vt.; to Livonia, N. Y.; in 1817 removed to the farm in Ogden, N. Y., thenceforth his home.

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Children:

337. i. PHINEHAS ALPHEUS,[8] b. 20 Aug., 1802.
338. ii. NASON, b. 26 Nov., 1804.
339. iii. LEANDER, b. 30 Jan., 1807.
iv. AURELIA ANN, b. 26 July, 1810; d. 17 Oct., 1847; m. 30 June, 1836, Charles Chester Bronson. He m. (2) 25 May, 1848 (by Rev. William Danforth), Loemma Emmeline Danforth (sister of his first wife), and had child, Helen Bronson, b. at Rochester, d. at 5 months. He d. at Mainville, O., 30 Jan., 1898.

Children of Charles C. and Aurelia A. (Danforth) Bronson:

1. *Marian Amelia Bronson*, b. 1838; d. 3 April, 1849.
2. *Elizabeth* ("*Lizetta*") *Aphia Bronson*, b. at Otsego, Mich., 29 Sept., 1841; d. at Passadena, Cal., 8 Jan., 1890; m. (1) John Wm. Webb; ch.: Edgar Leroy Webb, b. at Vicksburg, Miss., 8 Sept., 1865. She m. (2) 13 April, 1881, Wm. Johnson Townsend, at St. Louis, Mo.; she d. at Passadena, Cal., 5 Jan., 1890.
3. *Emma Louisa Bronson*, b. in Otsego, in Oct., 1843; d. Cincinnati, O., in 1872; m. Isaac Brown McLinn, who d. 11 May, 1896, in National Home for Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, O.

v. BETSEY ELMINA, b. 21 Dec., 1812; m. in Ogden, N. Y., 20 Aug., 1835, Jeremiah, son of Timothy Lindsley, b. 1812, d. at Otsego, Mich., Jan. 12, 1884.

Children of Jeremiah and Betsey E. (Danforth) Lindsley:

1. *Julia Melvina Lindsley*, b. 16 Aug., 1838; m. Hiram Henry Rouse, b. 16 Dec., 1833; res. at White Creek, N. Y.

Children of Hiram H. and Julia M. (Lindsley) Rouse:

(1) George Lindsley Rouse, b. about 1859; d. in 1863.
(2) Charles Alonzo Rouse, b. at Otsego, 9 April, 1866.
(3) Mary Elmina Rouse, b. 5 Nov., 1871.

2. *Eunice Eudora Lindsley*, b. 2 Oct., 1840; d. 18 May, 1865; m. Charles Wesley Sprague.
3. *Lucy Jane Lindsley*, b. 20 March, 1842; m. Charles Wesley Sprague (second wife); d. 9 April, 1871.

Children of Charles W. and Lucy J. (Lindsley) Sprague:

(1) William Sprague, b. in 1868.
(2) May Sprague, b. Feb. 5–7, 1871; m. in March, 1889, in Nescatimga, Kan., Martin Riedle. Ch.: Ruby May Riedle, b. 6 Jan., 1890, at Wichita, Kansas.

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4. *Harriet Aurelia Lindsley*, b. 29 Aug., 1851; d. 1875; m. George Theodore Ives. Res. Plainwell, Mich.

Children of George T. and Harriet A. (Lindsley) Ives:

(1) George Frederic Ives, b. 1 April, 1876, at Dunplain.
(2) James LeRoy Ives, b. 9 Jan., 1878; d. 25 Dec., 1886.

5. *Elmer Jeremiah Lindsley*, b. and died in March, 1855.

vi. ADELINE LUTHERA, b. 3 Nov., 1815; m. 18 April, 1844 (by Rev. F. Danforth), George William, son of Eben and Mary (Allen) Bickford, b. at Wheelock, Vt., res. at Wilson, N. Y.

Children of George W. and Adeline L. (Danforth) Bickford:

1. *Edwin Alonzo Bickford*, b. 24 July, 1847; d. 9 March, 1848.
2. *Elmer Augustus Bickford*, b. 24 May, 1849; m. 27 Nov., 1872, Ada Anna Eighme, dau. of Geo. Washington and Catherine (Halifax) Eighme, b. at Hamburg, N. Y., 5 Oct., 1851.

Children of Elmer A. and Ada A. (Eighme) Bickford:

(1) George Luther Bickford, b. 14 June, 1874.
(2) Allen Berdell Bickford, b. 15 Oct., 1876.
(3) Elmer Merle Bickford, b. 4 March, 1878.

3. *Isabel Jane Bickford*, b. 25 May, 1851; m. 7 Feb., 1877, Silas Wright, son of William Oliver and Nancy M. (Newman) Pettett, b. at Wilson, N. Y., 24 May, 1829; res. at Tonawanda, N. Y.

Children of Silas W. and Isabel J. (Bickford) Pettet:

(1) Earle William Pettet, b. 14 July, 1880.
(2) Howard Leslie Pettet, b. 28 April, 1885.
(3) Charles Eugene Pettet, b. 20 Dec., 1888.

4. *William Edgar Bickford*, b. 15 Feb. 1855; m. 3 Dec., 1879, Annette Brookings, b. at Porter, N.Y., 12 Dec., 1859.

Children of William E. and Armette (Brookings) Bickford:

(1) Mazie Leah Bickford, b. 14 March, 1883.
(2) Louisa May Bickford, b. 12 Sept., 1884.
(3) George Edwin Bickford, b. 15 May, 1886.
(4) Frank Wadsworth Bickford, b. 5 Oct., 1888.
(5) William Edgar Bickford, b. 16 Aug., 1898.

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vii. LORENA EMELINE, b. 16 April, 1821; married Charles Chester Bronson (second wife); d. 20 June, 1857.
340. viii. ROBERT ALONZO, b. 16 April, 1821.

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CYRUS[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Fletcher, Vt., 21 Feb., 1792; died in Illinois, 16 Sept., 1855; married in Fletcher, Vt., Elmira Buck. He was a farmer, occupying his father's farm in Fletcher; with his wife he visited Illinois in 1855, and died there. The widow returned to the old home and lived with her son.

Child:

341. HIRAM,[8] b. 11 Dec., 1826.

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DAVID[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Fletcher, Vt., 6 Sept., 1797; died at Fairfax, Vt., 20 April, 1835, married first, Sophronia Buck, of Fairfax; she died 3 July, 1830, æ. 21 years. He married second, Vesta Chittenden.

Child:

342. ALLEN,[8] b. about 1828.

196.

DANIEL CHASE[7] (*Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 19 May, 1787; died at Onarga, Ill., 22 April, 1875; married first, Eunice Wright; second, Polly D. Smith, of Fairfax, Vt.; she died at Montpelier, Vt.: third, Abigail, dau. of Moses and Hannah (Atwell) Hunkins, born 22 May, 1806, died at Liberty, O., 27 April, 1861. Resided at Fletcher, Vt., and at other places not far away; removed to Ohio and later to Illinois.

The five younger children were born at Hermon, N. Y.

Children:

i. DANIEL CHASE,[8] b. 22 Aug., 1810; d. at Canada line in 1833.
ii. ELIZABETH E., b. 28 Aug., 1816; d. 28 Oct., 1877; m. 25 March, 1843, John, son of Lewis and Mary Ann (Shorty) Voodry, b. at Levis, Quebec, 13 Jan., 1818; a carpenter; res. Montpelier, Vt.

Children of John and Elizabeth C. (Danforth) Voodry:

1. *Isaac Alna Voodry*, b. 25 May, 1845; m. 10 Nov., 1869, Orilla A., dau. of William and Eliza (Abbott) Fisher, b. at Odletown, P. Q., 16 March, 1844. Train master at White River Junction; res. Woodbury, Vt.

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2. *Elnathan Keyes Voodry*, b. 15 June, 1848; a commercial traveller; res. at Sacramento, Cal. He m. 4 Jan., 1869, Dora E. Evans, who d. 21 Jan., 1889.
3. *Laura Arabell Voodry*, b. 17 April, 1851; m. James E. Morris, of Albany; he died.

343. iii. ISAAC HILL, b. 24 Dec., 1818.
iv. EUNICE WRIGHT, b. 14 April, 1821; m. Ezra B. Wedge, (son of Ezra and Anna (Hardy) Wedge), b. at Tunbridge, Vt., 26 Jan., 1819. He was a miller; res. at Montpelier, Vt.

Children of Ezra B. and Eunice W. (Danforth) Wedge:

1. *Samuel Danforth Wedge*, b. 20 Nov., 1843; d. Aug., 1849.
2. *Louisa Jane Wedge*, b. 28 Sept., 1846; m. 15 Feb., 1868, Horace N. Lawrence, of Lowell, Vt. Ch.: (1) Harriet Jane Lawrence, b. July, 1869, m. Leonard Doten. (2) Eleanor Wedge, b. 1876.
3. *Hiram Bradley Wedge*, b. 15 June, 1848; m. Havnet Burdick. Ch.: (1) Ezra Oscar Wedge Lawrence, b. 4 June, 1869; (2) Frank Wedge, b. 28 Jan., 1872.
4. *Henry Charles Wedge*, b. 25 Sept., 1853; m. 18 March, 1876, Frances Burdick.
5. *Wilbur Lafayette Wedge*, b. 1 Aug., 1859; m. 23 Dec., 1884, Mrs. Laura Harrington.

v. SAMUEL DRAPER, b. 28 March, 1824; d. 31 May, 1843.
vi. HANNAH SMITH, b. 18 Feb., 1826; d. 10 Oct., 1831.
344. vii. ELISHA LEE, b. 7 March, 1829.
345. viii. DAVID, b. 9 June, 1830.
ix. LYDIA ATWELL, b. 27 March, 1832; m. in Newton, O., 25 Dec., 1851, Jairus Middlebrooks Mears, son of Dennis and Martha (Middlebrooks) Mears, born in Milton, Vt., 22 Feb., 1825; farmer, Ridgeville, Iroquois co., Ill.; holds town offices.

Children of Jairus M. and Lydia A. (Danforth) Mears:

1. *Mary Mears*, b. 28 Aug., 1854, at York, O.; m. in Onarga, Ill., 22 Feb., 1876, Eugene Lockwood, son of Frederick and Emily (Avery) Lockwood, b. in Ohio, 4 Sept., 1851. Res. Onarga or Ridgeville, Ill.

Children of Eugene and Mary (Mears) Lockwood:

(1) Frederick Jay Lockwood, b. 5 May, 1884; d. 9 Sept., 1884.
(2) Alfred Verne Lockwood, b. 13 May, 1885; d. 18 Feb., 1891.

2. *Dan Augustus Mears*, b. 30 March, 1859, at Onarga, Ill. Res. Monte Vista, Col.
3. *Frank Mears*, b. 15 April, 1862, at Newton, O. Res. Ottawa, Ill.
4. *Henry Christian Mears*, b. 13 May, 1867; d. 4 July, 1872.

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5. *Clara B. Mears*, b. 1 Sept., 1870; m. 2 Oct., 1890, Andrew Olson, b. in Sweden 2 June, 1866.

x. M. ELMER, b. 8 June, 1834; d. 19 Sept., 1863, in the war for the Union.

xi. PETER HUNKINS, b. 22 July, 1838; d. 16 March, 1847.

xii. HANNAH ELIZABETH, b. 17 April, 1842; m. O. M. Washburn; res. Gilman, Ill.

346. xiii. WILLARD DANIEL, b. 29 April, 1847.

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DAVID[7] (*Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Berkshire, 28 Dec., 1788; died in Raymond, O., 12 May, 1876; married 7 Dec., 1808, Anna, daughter of Samuel and Anna (Trull) Danforth, born 25 July, 1784, died 10 March, 1862. [See No. 92.] He was a soldier in the war of 1812; removed to Ohio in 1818.

Children:

i. SOPHIA,[8] b. 31 July, 1809; d. same day.

ii. PAULINA, b. 4 Aug., 1811; d. 16 July, 1818.

347. iii. BLISS, b. 2 July, 1815.

348. iv. SAMUEL, b. 21 Feb., 1817.

349. v. HIRAM, b. 4 Oct., 1819.

vi. JULIA, b. at Licking, O., 30 July, 1821; m. 29 Sept., 1842, David Tichenor Paul, b. in Saratoga co., N. Y., 23 June, 1820; d. 27 Aug., 1885; res. Olathe, Kansas. Family removed to Joplin, Mo.

Children of David T. and Julia (Danforth) Paul:

1. *Clarissa Jane Paul*, b. 21 July, 1843; m. 19 Nov., 1862, William Franklin Temple, b. Chester, Pa., 24 Feb., 1844.

Children:

(1) Flora Lavinia Temple, b. 4 Oct., 1863; m. John W. Harper.

(2) Julia Etta Temple, b. 27 Aug., 1865; m. Irwin Smith Post.

(4) James Franklin Temple, b. 1868; d. 1869.

(5) Charles David Temple, b. 23 March, 1870.

(6) William Lincoln Temple, b 8 March, 1876.

(7) John Temple, b. 12 Nov., 1881.

2. *Nancy Ann Paul*, b. 12 Feb., 1847; d. at Newton, O., 18 June, 1849.

3. *Hannah Sabrina Paul*, b. 30 July, 1849; m. 16 May, 1872, George Henry Dundon, b. at Streetsboro, O., 24 Feb., 1852.

Children:

(1) Otis Burlingame Dundon, b. 4 Oct., 1873.

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(2) John Tichenor Dundon, b. 26 Feb., 1875.
(3) Harriet Ida Dundon, b. 1878; d. 1879.
(4) Cora Mabel Dundon, b. 2 Nov., 1880.

4. *Isaac David Paul*, b. 28 Oct., 1851; d. 8 Sept., 1870.
5. *Cyrus Bliss Paul*, b. 17 July, 1854; m. 4 Nov., 1882, Mary Bliss Pickett. Child: Max Orrin Paul, b. 24 Nov., 1883.

350. vii. JEREMIAH MORROW

198.

CAPT. JOSEPH[7] (*Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Tyngsboro', 16 Aug., 1779; died there 8 Nov., 1855; married first, 7 Jan., 1804, Rachel Cummings born 30 April, 1783, died 10 March, 1852; he married second, 7 Nov., 1853, Mrs. Lucinda Goldsmith of Dunstable, born 5 April, 1807, died 25 April, 1875. He was a farmer; lived on the old homestead at Tyngsboro'. He made his will 29 Sept., 1855; it was probated 15 Dec. following. He bequeathed to wife Lucinda; grandsons Samuel A. Richardson and Calvin Howard; grand daughters Almira C., Abba D. and Mary R., children of John G. Upton; to son Joseph Danforth. The last two were named executors.

Children:

351. i. JOSEPH,[8] b. 19 Aug., 1805.
ii. SARAH, b. 24 March, 1809; d. 25 March, 1850; m. first, 25 Jan., 1836, Samuel Richardson; had one son, Samuel Richardson, a mariner; res. in California. She m. second, 24 Nov., 1842, Calvin Howard, a farmer in Westford. One son, Calvin Howard.
iii. RACHEL CUMMINGS, b. 10 Sept., 1813; d. 25 Sept., 1834; m. 16 May, 1833, Carmi Emery King, son of Philip Bowers and Polly (Hodges) King, of Norton, who became a successful dry goods merchant in Boston. She was his first wife. Their only child was Isabella Danforth King, who m. Octavius A. Rogers, a brother of her stepmother.
iv. MARY RICHARDSON, b. 29 July, 1818; d. 31 Dec., 1852; m. 26 June, 1842, John G. Upton, of Tyngsboro', b. 5 Feb., 1823. He m. three wives later and d. 4 June, 1893.

Children of John G. and Mary R. (Danforth) Richardson:

1. *Elmira C. Richardson*, b. 8 Nov., 1842.
2. *Abigail Danforth Richardson*, b. 29 Oct., 1845.

199.

JOSIAH[7] (*Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 15 Jan., 1786; died 5 Nov., 1867; married 25 Sept., 1815, Mary Farwell, born at Tyngsboro, 15 April, 1794, died

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Dr. Asa Danforth.

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21 Dec., 1870. He graduated at Dartmouth College; practised law at Weare, N. H.; resided in Tyngsboro at the time of his death.

Child:

352. JAMES,[8] b. 2 Sept., 1816.

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Dr. ASA[7] (*Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 18 Aug., 1795; died 16 June, 1883; married 6 Dec., 1824, Abigail C., daughter of Hon. William and Elizabeth Reed, of Norway, Me., and there resided. She was born 11 Jan., 1801, and died 8 Dec., 1874. He grad. Dartmouth, M.D. 1820; practised medicine at Norway, Me., and vicinity almost 60 years; was universally beloved; his neighbors sent him as representative to the Legislature—a union candidate—in 1852. He is remembered as being "liberal to poor patients." Many anecdotes are given of his promptness and energy in relief of suffering. One stormy night, when the physician whose duty it was had refused to go out, he harnessed his horse to his sleigh and drove through gathering drifts till his horse could go no further; then housed the animal in a farmer's barn, happily near, and himself worked his way through the drifts till, almost exhausted, he reached the patient's door.

Children:

353. i. WILLIAM REED,[8] b. 6 June, 1826.

ii. JOSIAH, b. 26 Sept., 1827; resided at Council Bluffs, Ia.; d. there 16 Dec., 1898.

354. iii. JOSEPH HENRY, b. 8 April, 1829.

iv. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. 27 Feb., 1831; d. 17 July, 1894; m. 1 Jan., 1852, Clark Phillips, son of Thomas and Mary True.

Children of Clark P. and Sarah E. (Danforth) True:

1. *Nellie Adella True*, b. 27 March, 1854; m. 8 Jan., 1874, William Jewett, M. D. (son of Milton and Eliza Jewett, of Norway, Me.); she d. 21 Dec., 1899.

2. *Asa Danforth True*, b. 3 June, 1857; d. of apoplexy, 3 March, 1893; m. 2 June, 1886, Carrie B. Swett, b. in So. Paris, Me., 2 June, 1861. Res. N. Stratford, N. H.

Child: Harley Danforth True, b. 7 May, 1890.

3 *Francis Thomas True*, b. 8 Dec., 1861; m. Anna C. ——. Res. Council Bluffs, Ia.

4. *James Clark True*, b. 28 Jan., 1866, at Groveland, N. H.; m. 13 July, 1885, Mary F., dau. of James and Charlotte (En Earl) Grant, b. same day as he.

Children:

(1) Clark Grant True, b. 29 Nov., 1886.

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(2) Frank Fiske True, b. 18 May, 1888, d. 18 Aug., 1890.
(3) Sarah Elizabeth True, b. 20 July, 1894.
(4) Marian Rice True, b. 5 July, 1896.
(5) Stanley Frank True, b. 10 Jan., 1901.

355. v. FRANCIS AUGUSTUS, b. 14 April, 1833.
356. vi. JOHN, b. 9 Dec., 1834.
357. vii. JAMES, b. 10 Oct., 1839.
viii. ASA, b. 27 Nov., 1841; d. 27 Nov., 1846.

## 201.

CYRUS[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Tyringham, Mass., 27 Aug., 1777; died at Friendsville, Ill., 10 July, 1852; married 4 Feb., 1800, Mary Clarke, born in Haddam, Conn., 17 Aug., 1778, died at Friendsville, 29 March, 1861. He resided at Oneida Co., N. Y., Wabash Co., Ill., and later at Friendsville, O. In a discourse read at Friendsville, 26 May, 1880, by Rev. S. C. Baldridge, Cyrus Danforth is called "That firm, sagacious man of God," and is described as "of heroic mould, of unflinching devotion to his principles, and an ardent Presbyterian christian." He was a bold "abolitionist" in the days when this exposed one to lynching, mobbing and other indignities. In 1822 he gave land for a church of his faith, and with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bliss, organized a church. The house of worship was built at his expense, he superintending the work, even to the burning of the bricks. He also gave ground for a cemetery.

Children:

i. PORTER,[8] b. at Oneida, 18 Nov., 1800; d. 13 Feb., 1818.
ii. HARRIET, b. 19 Dec., 1801; d. 31 Aug., 1858; m. John Frankenthal Younken, owner and manager of a carding mill; representative to the legislature, mover of a bill for the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors in Illinois.

Children of John F. and Harriet (Danforth) Younken:

1. *Catherine Younken.*
2. *Thomas Younken*, d. at 10 years of age.
3. *John C. Younken*, served through the War for the Union; grad. Hanover Coll., Indiana; principal of the local academy five years; supt. of schools for Mount Carmel, Ill.; rem. to Ventura, Cal.

358. iii. CYRUS, b. 17 July, 1804.
359. iv. THOMAS, b. 2 June, 1806.
v. GEORGE, b. 17 April, 1808; d. 27 May, 1810, "being scalded."
360. vi. GEORGE, b. 25 Aug., 1811.
vii. MARY (LYDIA), b. 24 Aug., 1815; d. 25 Aug., 1841; m. Abner Gould. Two children, d. young.
361. viii. FRANKLIN, b. 12 Aug., 1817.

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THOMAS[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at [Tyringham, Mass.], 30 Oct., 1780; died at Lafayette, N. Y., 11 Oct., 1861; married first, 20 Feb., 1810, Lavinia Higby, born 4 Feb., 1788, died 11 April, 1830. He married second, 10 Feb., 1831, Sarah (Everett) Hobart; she died 29 Dec., 1863, "æ. 78."

He resided at Pompey, now Lafayette, N. Y.; was a deacon of the church.

Children:

i. JOHN CURTIS,[8] b. 5 Jan., 1812; d. 29 April, 1836.
362. ii. LORING, b. 5 April, 1813.
iii. NANCY ANN, b. 26 Oct., 1814; d. 18 July, 1815.
363. iv. ELIJAH HIGBY, b. 12 March, 1817.
364. v. THOMAS, b. 24 Feb., 1819.
365. vi. FLAVEL, b. 22 Feb., 1821.
366. vii. WILLISTON, b. 7 Sept., 1823.
viii. LAVINIA, b. 22 April, 1825; d. 13 July, 1833.
ix. LYDIA LUCRETIA, b. 5 July, 1827; m. John C. Hitchcock, of Syracuse, N. Y. No children.
367. x. JOEL, b. 23 Feb., 1829.

204.

JOEL[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Chesterfield, Mass., 4 April, 1789; died 7 Aug., 1854; married first, 18 Jan., 1816, Nancy Bowen, born 1 March, 1794, died 6 Feb., 1836. He married second, in 1837, Armena (Bascom) Clark; she died 14 Feb., 1882. Was carried by his parents to Lafayette, N. Y.; removed to Otisco, N. Y., where he carried on a farm. After his death his widow removed to Syracuse; retained her faculties to the close of her long life, dying at the age of 84.

Children:

i. MARY ANN,[8] b. 21 July, 1817; d. 16 Jan., 1853; m. James Bostwick. No children.
368. ii. LEVI BOWEN, b. 13 May, 1820.
iii. NANCY BOWEN, b. 15 Dec., 1822; m. Harrison Bostwick, b. in Nov., 1819.

Children of Harrison and Nancy (Danforth) Bostwick:

1. *Mary Malvina Bostwick*, b. in June, 1852; m. in 1870, Josiah Leonard. Children: (1) Levi Danforth Leonard, b. 28 May, 1874; (2) Harriet May Leonard, b. 18 March, 1876; (3) Anne Louise Leonard, b. 8 Aug., 1878.

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2. *Charlotte Damaris Bostwick*, b. in 1854.
3. *Annie Danforth Bostwick*, b. in 1862.

369. iv. HALSEY JOEL, b. 28 Aug., 1828.

## 206.

ASA[7] (*Asa*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Brookfield, Mass., 29 June, 1768; died at Onondaga Hollow, N. Y., in Sept., 1818; married in Jan., 1789, Olivia Langdon, born in Brookfield, about 1767, died 29 Aug., 1842.

After assisting his mother at home during his father's absence in Revolutionary service, and aiding in the removal of the family to Mayfield and later to Onondaga Valley, N. Y., he settled, along with his uncle John Danforth, at "Salt Springs," and was one of the founders of the present town of Salina at that place. His daughter was the first white child born in the valley. He and his wife have left the reputation of being a remarkably fine looking couple. They afterward resided in Onondaga Hollow. He died there; his wife survived him 24 years and died in Syracuse in 1842, at the age of 75.

Children:

i. AMANDA,[8] b. 14 Oct., 1789; d. 1 Nov., 1831; m. in 1810, Col. Elijah Phillips, of Manlius, N. Y., b. in 1782, d. 14 May, 1845.

Children of Elijah and Amanda (Danforth) Phillips:

1. *Nelson Danforth Phillips*, b. in 1811, d. 1845, m. Harriet Spencer, of Albany, N. Y.
2. *Lucia M. Phillips*, b. 28 July, 1817, m. in 1835, Peter Outwater, b. about 1809, d. 8 June, 1861. Their eldest dau. Mary Amanda Outwater, b. 10 Feb. 1836, d. 8 June, 1887, became 27 Sept., 1857, the wife of Andrew Dickson White, b. 7 Nov., 1832, since president of Cornell University, U. S. minister to Germany, etc. Their children are thus descendants of Nicholas Danforth through a distinguished line. Children: (i) Clara Dickson White, b. 11 July, 1858; m. 8 June, 1882, Spencer B. Newberry. (ii) Frederick Davies White, b. 17 Dec., 1859. (iii) Ruth Mary White, b. 13 Oct., 1866. (iv) Andrew Danforth White, b. 21 April, 1874; d. in Nov., 1877.

   Of Mrs. White, a loving hand writes: "She was born at Syracuse, New York, on the 10th of Feb., 1836. From her father she inherited the quiet, steady qualities of the emigrants of Holland, who made their homes along the Hudson River; the quickness and precision and love of books which he had developed in college and in the profession of the law she also

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inherited. From her mother came evenness of temper and loveliness of spirit.

Her mother's father, Colonel Phillips, was well known as one of the most energetic men of affairs, in Central New York during the first half of this century; her mother's mother Amanda Danforth, was the first white child born in the County of Onondaga, which then embraced the whole central region of the State of New York, and though her life was passed amid perils and privations and ended early, she is still held in loving remembrance for her sweetness of disposition and her nobility of character. Her mother's grandfather, Asa Danforth, was a pioneer in the same region, well known at the close of the last century for his courage and integrity."

ii. SOPHIA, b. in Nov., 1793, d. 17 Oct., 1867, m. Samuel Hitchcock. No children.

iii. HARRIET, b. in Salina, 20 May, 1795, d. 27 Oct., 1869; m. first, Judge Sylvanus Tousley; she m. second, William Elliot Lee, b. at Middletown, Conn., 5 Nov., 1784; d. at Syracuse, 26 Nov., 1858. No children by either marriage.

## 208.

THOMAS PAINE[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*,[1]) born at Brookfield, Mass., 20 June, 1781; died at Middleburg, N. Y., 7 Sept., 1865.

He left Brookfield at 3 years old with his parents; spent 7 years in Albany. At 17 or 18 was at the academy attached to Williamstown College. Went to Schoharie Co., where he always lived except 2 or 3 years at Salina, Salt Springs, when about 24 or 25 years old. Cultivated farms and built turnpikes and canals and bridges. Was Judge of County Court of Common Pleas during 9 years.

In the war of 1812 raised a company of Cavalry at his own expense, with equipments complete, for which he was afterward repaid in part.

Mr. Geo. Lintner Danforth (Middleburg) has his commissions;

1. from Gov. Daniel D. Tompkins, in 1811, as Captain of Cavalry Company.
2. from Gov. DeWitt Clinton in 1821, as Lieutenant Colonel 9th Cavalry Regt.
3. from the same in 1826 as Colonel Cavalry.
4. from the same in 1827 as Judge of County Court and
5. from Gov. E. T. Throop in 1832 to same office.

He owned largely in the Athens Turnpike, which his father originated.

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The inscription on his monument in family cemetery at Middleburg says: "He suffered many wrongs—he rests from his labors."

He married first, Nancy Wager, born 18 Dec., 1788, died 19 Nov., 1825. He married second, Sarah Donolly of Catskill, born 1805, died 17 March, 1832. He married third, Angeline Hathaway, born 1806, died 25 Nov., 1837. He married fourth, 10 Oct., 1838, Morgiana Holt; she died 6 Oct., 1873.

Children:

370. i. JUSTIN,[8] b. 14 July, 1805.
ii. HARRIET, b. in 1807; m. Dr. Eben Steele of Delhi, N. Y.

Children of Dr. Eben and Harriet (Danforth) Steele:

1. *Harriet Steele*, m. Geo. Marvin of Delhi.
2. *Sarah Steele*, m. Volney D. Becker (her cousin).

iii. BETSEY, b. 12 April, 1809; d. 12 Jan., 1811.
371. iv. VOLNEY, b. 5 March, 1811.
v. ELIZA, b. 14 Jan., 1813; d. 13 March, 1838; m. 23 June, 1836, Abraham Becker, b. April 3, 1808, d. 9 Aug. 1868; son of Philip and Catherine (Wager) Becker, of S. Worcester.

Child of Abraham and Maria (Danforth) Becker:

*Maria*, b. 13 Sept., 1837, d. 23 Feb., 1838.

372. vi. DAVID BECKER, b. in 1814.
vii. HARRISON, b. 26 Nov., 1816; d. 27 Feb. 1823.
viii. MARIA, b. 23 Feb., 1817; d. 13 Aug., 1875; m. Abraham Becker, husband of her sister Eliza (above).

Children of Abraham and Maria (Danforth) Becker:

1. *George Becker*, b. 19 April, 1839; m. Mary Cady, 8 May, 1865.

Child:

Cady Danforth Becker, b. in Binghampton, 6 July, 1872; d. 24 Feb., 1876.

2. *Augusta May Becker*, b. 2 May, 1841.
3. *Volney Danforth Becker*, b. 30 Dec., 1842; m. Sarah Steele (above); lawyer, Milwaukee, Wis.
4. *Frances Becker*, b. 6 Oct., 1844; d. 22 June, 1853.
5. *Washington Becker*, b. 22 Feb., 1847; m. Sarah Merrill.
6. *Danforth Becker*, b. 11 March, 1850; m. Birdella Larkin; attorney at law, Milwaukee, Wis.
7. *Harriet Danforth Becker*, b. 25 Sept., 1852; m. Hon. John Lendrum Mitchell, 11 July, 1878. Member of Congress; residence Milwaukee.

Children of John L. and Harriet D. (Becker) Mitchell:

(1) William Mitchell, b. in Nice, (France), 29 Dec., 1879. Volunteered at opening of the present war; served in Cuba and the

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Philippines; now (1902) 1st Lieut. U.S.A. in Alaska.

(2) Florence Mitchell, b. in Florence, Italy, 2 Feb., 1881; d. in Florence, 16 April, 1881.

(3) Martha Mitchell, b. Montmorency, France, 5 May, 1882.

(4) Margaret Mitchell, b. Milwaukee, Wis., 28 Nov. 1883; d. in Milwaukee, 12 Dec. 1883.

(5) Janet Mitchell, b. in Milwaukee, 5 Dec., 1884.

(6) Harriet Mitchell, b. in Milwaukee, 6 Sept., 1886.

(7) Ruth Mitchell, b. in Milwaukee, 30 April, 1889.

(8) Katharine Mitchell, b. in Milwaukee, 5 March, 1891.

(9) John Lendrum Mitchell, b. 20 April, 1893

8. *Abraham Becker*, b. 24 Dec., 1859; d. 2 March, 1864.

ix. ORPHA, b. 23 Jan., 1818; m. 21 Sept., 1840, Geo. Cherritree.

x. VAN NESS, b. 23 March, 1823; d. 18 May, 1839.

## 209.

GEORGE[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Albany, 9 Nov. 1789; died 16 Aug. 1831; went with his parents to Schoharie; became well established in practice of law in 1815.

He married Cornelia Swart, born 13 Dec. 1796, died 26 Jan. 1879.

Children:

373. i. PETER SWART,[8] b. 19 June, 1816.

374. ii. GEORGE ERSKINE, b. 5 July, 1818.

iii. MARGARET SWART, b. 23 Nov. 1822, d. in infancy.

## 211.

JOHN[7] (*John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 29 May, 1788; died 31 May, 1868; married first, 24 April, 1814, Betsey Boynton Towle, born 4 June, 1788; died 4 Sept. 1847. He married second, 26 April, 1849, Mrs. Dorothy Richardson, born in June, 1791; died 26 Oct. 1861. Resided at Lynnfield.

Children:

375. i. JOHN,[8] b. 20 Nov. 1814.

ii. HANNAH, b. 17 May, 1816; d. 28 Sept., 1820.

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iii. NATHANIEL BANCROFT, b. 21 April, 1818; d. 1 Oct. 1819.
iv. MARY TAYLOR BANCROFT, b. 25 Feb. 1820; d. 23 Sept. 1820.
376. v. NATHANIEL BANCROFT, b. 24 Sept. 1821.
377. vi. HENRY, b. 7 Aug. 1824.

212.

JOSIAH[7] (*Joshua*[6], *Joshua*[5], *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Lynn (S. Reading) 3 Jan. 1784; died in New Braunfels, Tex., 3 July, 1860; married 9 July, 1806, Hannah, dau. of Jeph. and Sarah (Blaney) Marston, born at Marblehead, 16 April, 1790, died in Lynn, 29 Dec. 1872. Removed to New Braunfels, Texas.

Child:

LUCY PEABODY,[8] b. in Lynn, 23 May, 1807, d. in San Antonio, Tex., 11 Sept. 1866; m. in Lynn, 13 June, 1826, Robert Robinson, M.D., son of Daniel and Sarah (Derry) Robinson, b. 15 May, 1803, d. at San Antonio, 25 Oct. 1858.

Children of Robert and Lucy P. (Danforth) Robinson:

1. *Robert Robinson*, b. in Lynn, 1 May, 1827; m. in N. Y. City, 1 March, 1850, Abigail Orne Titcomb, b. in Newburyport, 23 Jan. 1827; dau. of Capt. Wm. and Sarah Moody (Radcliffe) Titcomb.
2. *Joshua Danforth Robinson*, b. Hartford, Conn., 19 April, 1829; d. San Antonio, 16 Sept. 1866; m. 25 Nov. 1851, Eliza Jane Lovett, b. in Malden, 29 Jan. 1828; dau. of Wm. and Eliza (Chamberlain) Lovett (Newburyport).
3. *Lucy Ann Danforth Robinson*, b. Hartford, Ct., 26 Sept. 1831; d. [Newburyport] 13 Aug. 1841.
4. *Sarah Louisa Robinson*, b. N. Y. City, 29 July, 1833; d. (Newburyport), 24 Aug. 1858.
5. *Lucy Ann Robinson*, b. in Newburyport 26 March, 1844; m. (1) at Fort Mason, Texas, 30 Aug. 1862, George Roberts, son of Timo. and Salina (Gledhill) Roberts, b. Wakefield, York, Eng., 29 Dec. 1835, d. 13 Sept. 1866. She m. (2) in Fredericksburg, Texas, 12 Oct. 1869, Olfert Streigler, b. in Nakskov, Denmark, 7 March, 1839, son of Johan Friedrich Gottlieb and Lina (Lange) Streigler.
6. *Samuel Pierce Robinson*, b. Newburyport, 18 June, 1846, d. in Newburyport, 12 Feb. 1850.

213.

JOSEPH[7] (*Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lynn, 2 Sept. 1790; died in Middleton, 23 Sept. 1850; married 19 Dec. 1812, Lydia Flint, born in Danvers, 23 May, 1794; died in Danvers, 8 Sept. 1857.

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Children:

378. i. JOSEPH,[8] b. 14 April, 1813.
ii. HANNAH FLINT, b. 2 Jan. 1815, d. 3 Aug. 1886; m. 18 May, 1842, Benj. Wellington Perry, b. 17 Jan. 1813, son of Jonathan and Rebecca (Wellington) Perry. Having no issue they adopted Harriet Mayhew, who has married Henry M. Bradstreet.
379. iii. AARON FLINT, b. 3 May, 1817.
iv. EUNICE GILBERT, b. 13 March, 1819; d. 27 Dec. 1839.
v. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. 13 Aug. 1821; m. 1 Oct. 1851, Jacob Benj., son of James and Lucinda (Danforth) Marston, b. 12 Oct. 1830, d. 1 March, 1882.

Children of Jacob B. and Sarah E. (Danforth) Marston:

1. *Sarah Evelyn Marston*, b. 25 Aug. 1852.
2. *Lucinda Ann Marston*, b. 20 June, 1854.
3. *Jacob Edwin Marston*, b. 5 March, d. 1 April, 1856.
4. *Charles Sumner Marston*, b. 25 March, 1857, d. 1 July, 1859.
5. *Sylvanus Cobb Marston*, b. 10 April, 1859; d. 25 Oct. 1882.
6. *Francis Danforth Marston*, b. 9 March, 1862.

vi. HARRIET, b. 1 July, d. 26 Aug. 1823.
vii. LYDIA SWEETSER, b. 24 Aug. 1824; m. 18 March, 1846, Horace D., son of Ebenezer and Eliza H. Phelps, b. in 1820.

Children of Horace D. and Lydia S. (Danforth) Phelps:

1. *Laura Phelps*, m. —— Welch.
2. *Charles Phelps*, m. ——, Sarah Chick.
3. *Annie Phelps*.
4. *Florence Phelps*, m. Charles H. Miller.

viii. MARY ANN, b. 20 March, 1827, m. 16 July, 1863, Wm., son of Warren and Lydia Peabody, b. in 1820.

Children of William and Mary A. (Danforth) Peabody:

1. *Warren Peabody*. 2. *Caroline Peabody*. 3. *Blanche Peabody*.

380. ix. GEORGE AUGUSTUS, b. 7 March, 1829.
x. EDWIN JOSHUA, b. 28 Aug. 1830, d. 27 Oct. 1831.

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JOHN[7] (*Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 4 March, 1807; died 18 Jan., 1867; married 6 May, 1831, Hannah, daughter of Stephen and Sally (Holbrook) Atwood. Res. Saugus.

Children:

i. EMELINE AUGUSTA,[8] b. 10 Feb., 1832; m. 30 April, 1868, Levi Humphrey, son of Jacob and Lois Proctor, b. at Derry, N. H., 11 Dec., 1830.

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Child of Levi H. and Emeline A. (Danforth) Proctor:
*Minnie Lois Proctor*, b. in Lynn, 25 Aug. 1868.

ii. JOHN WARREN, b. 29 May, 1834. Resides at Cliftondale.
381. iii. JOSHUA, b. 1 April, 1836.
382. iv. STEPHEN ATWOOD, b. 5 March, 1838.
383. v. HAWES ATWOOD, b. 13 April, 1840.
vi. HANNAH MARIA, b. 26 Sept. 1842, d. unm. 7 Jan. 1870.
vii. ORISSA ELLEN, b. 14 Dec. 1844; d. 8 Aug. 1878; m. 24 Dec. 1877, Henry, son of Ithamar and Mary (McNeil) Hubbard, b. in 1845. She died 8 Aug. 1878, in giving birth to a dau., Orra Kate Hubbard, who also died the same day.
viii. ELIZA ANN, b. 25 Jan. 1847; d. 14 Jan. 1849.
ix. EUNICE MATILDA, b. 13 May, 1849; m. 25 Dec. 1872, in Saugus, Amos Tapley, son of Thomas and Mary H. (Florence) Stocker. No children.

## 215.

Rev. BENJAMIN[7] (*Benjamin*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lynnfield, 24 Feb., 1804; died in Chicago, 28 Jan. 1872; married in Salem, 11 Aug. 1825, Elizabeth Baker Mussey, daughter of Benjamin Mussey, born in Portland, Me., 24 July, 1809, died 25 Nov. 1871, in Lawrence, Kansas.

Children:

384. i. JOHN MUSSEY,[8] b. in Salem, 15 March, 1826.
385. ii. STILLMAN AKERS, b. in Westbrook, Me., 7 March, 1828.
386. iii. BENJAMIN LAFAYETTE, b. in Portland, Me., 29 Sept. 1830.
387. iv. AMOS BLANCHARD, b. 26 July, 1833.
v. CHARLES LEWIS, b. in Raymond, Me., 27 Jan. 1836; d. 7 Jan. 1854.
vi. MARY ELIZABETH, b. in Westbrook, Me., 27 April, 1838; d. 9 July, 1838.
388. vii. STEPHEN BROWN, b. in Lynn, Mass., 14 Sept. 1840.
viii. SAMUEL CHAPMAN, b. in Saco., Me., 1 Jan. 1845; killed at Bull Run, 21 July, 1861.
ix. AURELIA B., b. in Buckfield, Me., 3 March, 1846; d. in Boston, 5 April, 1862.

## 216.

Rev. JOSHUA NOBLE[7] (*Joshua*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Pittsfield, 1 April, 1798; died at Newcastle, Del., 14 Nov. 1861; married 6 Aug. 1829, Jane (Janvier) Whilldin, of Newcastle, Del., born 8 May, 1799, died 20 July, 1870.

Graduated with honors at Williams College, prepared for the

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ministry at Princeton and was settled first in Newcastle, Del., then for three years in Washington, after which he acted for a short time as agent of the Colonization Society. Then was minister for several years of the Congregational Society in Lee, Mass., whence he was called to the Second church in Alexandria, D. C. In an able and successful ministry of fifteen years he raised this society from a depressed to a very flourishing condition. Then again he became the agent of the Colonization Society, his connection with which continued until his death.

Of scholarly tastes, he retained through life great fondness for Latin and Greek classics and English literature; and through life was marked for clearly defined opinions, great boldness of utterance and fearless discharge of duty.

Children:

i. EMMA NOBLE,[8] b. 15 Jan. 1831; d. at Washington, 5 Dec. 1880; m. 11 Sept. 1850, George Washington Bush; he d. at Wilmington, Del., 12 June, 1900.

Children of George W. and Emma Noble (Danforth) Bush:

1. *Walter Danforth Bush*, b. 29 Aug. 1851; m. 14 April, 1874, Rebecca Gibbons Tatnall.
2. *Lewis Potter Bush*, b. 28 March, 1853; m. 13 May, 1879, Margaret Potter Whiteley.
3. *Julia Janvier Bush*, b. 9 July, 1855.
4. *George Washington Bush*, b. 21 Aug. 1858.
5. *Alice Driscoll Bush*, b. 6 April, 1862; d. 18 April, 1867.
6. *Joshua Danforth Bush*, b. 4 Dec. 1868; Williams Colledge, grad. 1889; in lumber business in Wilmington with his father.

ii. MARY JANVIER, b. at Boston, 14 April, 1833; d. at Lee, 18 June, 1836.

iii. JOHN WHILLDIN, b. at Lee, 6 Feb. 1835; unm.; res. at Philadelphia, Pa.

iv. SAMUEL ADAMS, b. at Newcastle, 10 July, 1837; d. at Newcastle, 2 Jan. 1867.

v. JULIA HARPER, b. in Alexandria, Va., 20 March, 1840; d. at Newcastle, 9 Feb. 1859.

## 217.

SAMUEL ADAMS[7] (*Joshua*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 5 May, 1804; died 24 June, 1866; married at Roxbury, 19 May, 1842, "Cordelia Rosalene Gragg," of Boston, born 11 Jan. 1819, died at Hotel Nightingale in Dorchester, 20 April, 1896. She was a daughter of Oliver Gragg (born in Groton, 20 Jan. 1776, died in Auburndale, 1 June, 1849) and Alice Ditson (born in Billerica, 21 June, 1779, died at

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Auburndale, 14 April, 1862). The daughters, Harriet D. and Laura P., reside in Auburndale; the son, Cornelius D., in Yonkers, N. Y.

Always of religious inclination, he joined the church at 16 years of age, and at 25 became a deacon thereof, and in 1834 was one of the "new-measure men" who organized the Second Congregational Church in Pittsfield.

In 1837 removed to Boston and became a clerk in the treasurer's department of the Congregational Missionary House, which position he faithfully occupied during all the years of his active life. His death occurred at Northampton. After funeral services at his home at Auburndale, he was interred at Mount Auburn.

Children:

389. i. JOSHUA NOBLE,[8] b. in Roxbury, 31 Aug. 1845.
390. ii. CORNELIUS DRISCOLL, b. 20 Sept, 1847.
iii. EDITH CORDELIA, b. at Auburndale, 3 Feb. 1849; d. 12 April, 1877.
iv. HARRIET DITSON, b. 7 Nov. 1851.
v. LAURA PORTER, b. 22 July, 1853.
vi. FRANCES MARIA, b. 22 July, 1856; d. 3 June, 1857.

218.

DAVID JOHNSON[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Georgia, Vt., 24 Jan. 1788; died 17 Jan. 1847; married 22 Dec. 1811, Annis White, who was born 11 Feb. 1792, died 29 April, 1835.

Children:

391. i. DOUGLAS ABRAHAM,[8] b. 9 Nov. 1812.
ii. HARRY S., b. 24 March, 1814; m. 1 March, 1840, Emily S. Fairchild; no issue.
392. iii. GEORGE, b. 24 May, 1816.
393. iv. WILLIAM, b. 30 May, 1818.
v. LUCIUS, b. 26 Nov. 1820; d. 30 Aug. 1854.
vi. HARRIET, b. 9 March, 1823; d. 8 Sept. 1849.
vii. AMANDA, b. 22 Jan. 1826; d. 8 Oct. 1869; m. 28 Sept. 1850, Ephraim Gates, son of Thomas and Polly (Gates) Hulett. Child: William Danforth Hulett, b. 3 Jan. 1852; m. Georgia, dau. of Dr. John Crowley, of Holly, Vt.
viii. BYRON, b. 26 Feb. 1828; d. 30 Aug. 1854, in New Orleans, supposed of yellow fever.
ix. LOUISA, b. 20 Aug. 1830; d. 6 May, 1853; m. 19 Nov. 1851, Esaias Hall. No issue.
x. JANE, b. 26 Feb. 1833; d. 20 May, 1859; m. 13 Nov. 1854, Wm. Wallace Post, of Georgia, Vt., b. 10 March, 1830, d. at St. Albans, 10 Sept. 1862.

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Children of William W. and Jane (Danforth) Post:

1. *Louisa Maria Post*, b. 19 Oct. 1855; d. 4 April, 1870.
2. *Jenny Bell Post*, b. 10 Jan. 1858; m. 14 Sept. 1881, Ralph E. Clark, of Cold Water, Mich., b. 28 March, 1859.

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JONATHAN REED[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Georgia, Vt., 3 Jan. 1790; died at St. Albans, Vt., 5 Feb. 1847; married first, 7 July, 1812, Amanda, daughter of Lewis and Mary (Potter) Walker of Clarendon, Vt., born at Rehoboth, Mass., 6 Feb. 1791, died 8 March, 1825. He married second, 13 July, 1826, Ruth, daughter of Corporal Josiah and Esther (Hathaway) Brush, born Sept. 21, 1800, died 9 June, 1877.

He was a civil engineer, a contractor and builder; constructed many bridges and railways, both in the United States and Canada. The bridges over the Lamoille and the St. Richelieu rivers were built under his supervision. He resided at St. Albans, Vt.

Children:

i. MARY,[8] b. 11 March, d. 14 April, 1813.

ii. MARY ANNE, b. 17 Jan. 1815; d. 27 Oct. 1844; m. 31 March, 1839, Lewis S. Judd. He d. 28 Dec. 1849.

Children of Lewis S. and Mary A. (Danforth) Judd:

1. *Samuel Judd*, b. 20 July, 1840; Mrs. Judd res. in Chicago, Ill. (1902).
2. *Henry Lewis Judd*, b. 2 Dec. 1842.
3. *Mary Elizabeth Judd*, b. 27 Oct. 1844; m. Mr. Patterson; res. St. Louis, Mo.

iii. SARAH ANN, b. 26 Aug. 1817; d. in June, 1855; m. Rollin Tarquin Howard, of Salisbury, Vt.

Children of Rollin T. and Sarah A. (Danforth) Howard:

1. *Henry Harris Howard*, b. 11 May, 1838; d. 20 Feb. 1870.
2. *Henry Danforth Howard*, b. 6 May, 1840.
3. *Mary Adelaide Howard*, b. 28 Dec. 1843; m. 16 Feb. 1863, John Morris Ground, of Marine, Ill., b. 2 July, 1838, son of Daniel and Mary Ground; res. Jacksonville, Fla. Ch.: (1) Daniel H. Ground, b. 13 Feb. 1864; res. Fernandina, Fla. (2) Cassie Morris Ground, b. 19 Sept. 1871; m. Joseph Dull, of Danville, Ill.

iv. ELIZABETH, b. 6 April, 1820; m. 7 July, 1850, John Ellison, formerly of Hempstead, L. I.; rem. to Marine, Ill.

394. v. HENRY, b. 26 Feb. 1823.

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vi. ABIGAIL WEBB, b. 23 Dec. 1828; d. 11 May, 1880; m. 6 July, 1853, John Lovell Sargent, horticulturist, of Lebanon, Ill. He d. 14 June, 1883.

Children of John L. and Abigail W. (Danforth) Sargent:

1. *Harriet Persis Sargent*, b. 15 Sept. 1854; grad. McKendric Coll.; m. 30 June, 1880, James Harrison Thomas, of Belleville, Ill.; editor Belleville Advocate.
2. *Ella Lovell Sargent*, b. 10 Aug. 1857; grad. also at McK. Coll.; m. 3 July, 1883, Prof. Edw. W. Waggoner, grad. *cum honore* McK. Coll., prof. Nat. Sci. Winfield Coll., Kan.
3. *Clara Legett Sargent*, b. 27 Dec. 1865; grad. McK. Coll.; N. E. Conservatory of Music in 1884; m. 4 June, 1885, Eugene L. Waggoner, grad. Valparaiso Normal Coll., Ind.; supt. Pub. Sch., Lebanon, Ill.

vii. JOHN, b. 26 Jan. 1832; d. 17 Aug. 1837.

viii. AMANDA ADELAIDE, b. 31 Jan. 1835; m. 19 Jan. 1853, Lemuel W. Scott, of St. Albans; d. at Montreal, 17 Feb. 1861; one daughter Adeline V. Scott, m. David Cook, of Montreal.

ix. HELEN MARIA, b. 7 Sept. 1836; m. 19 Nov. 1857, Henry Hypes Horner, b. at Lebanon, Ill., 22 Feb. 1821, grad. McKendric Coll., attorney at law and dean of Law Dept. of Coll. She d. at Denver, Colo., 2 July, 1892, while visiting her sister, Mrs. Wiley.

Children of Henry H. and Helen M. (Danforth) Horner:

1. *Henry Roland Horner*, b. 11 Sept. 1858; civil engineer.
2. *Wilbur Nathan Horner*, b. 2 May, 1860; lawyer.
3. *Hattie Hypes Horner*, b. 6 Feb. 1868.
4. *Bertha Adele Horner*, b. 22 May, 1872.

x. EMMA MATILDA, b. 19 Aug. 1838; m. 24 Dec. 1856, Dr. E. Martin Wiley. He was surgeon of 117 regt. Ill. Vol. Inf. in the War of the Rebellion; promoted to be medical director at Fort Pickering, Tenn., in 1863; and surgeon of 74th div. 16th Army corps; did efficient and vigorous service, the strain of which made inroads upon his constitution from which he never recovered. Removed to Colorado Springs, Colo., and there died 14 May, 1883.

Children of E. M. and Emma M. (Danforth) Wiley:

1. *Mabel Wiley*, b. at Trenton, Ill., 3 Oct. 1859; m. 13 July, 1882, Frank Hobart Loud, b. Weymouth, Mass., grad. Amh. Coll., prof. Mathem. Colo. Coll.

Children of Frank H. and Mabel (Wiley) Loud:

(1) Francis Martin Loud, b. 10 April, 1883.
(2) Mary Loud, b. 6 April, 1886.
(3) Paul Danforth Loud, b. 10 Dec. 1887; d. 22 March, 1889.
(4) Harriet Loud, b. 10 Aug. 1890.

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(5) Norman Loud, b. 20 Sept. 1892.
(6) William Brewster Loud, b. 8 June, 1894.

2. *Walter Howard Wiley*, b. at Idaho Springs, Colo., 28 Jan. 1862; m. 17 Sept. 1884, Laura, dau. of Thomas and Eliza (Maxwell) Parshall, b. in Brighton, Ill., 30 Oct. 1862. He is a mechanical engineer.

Children of Walter H. and Laura (Parshall) Wiley:

(1) Raymond Wiley, b. 23 Jan. 1887.
(2) Dana Wiley, b. 15 March, 1896.

3. *Wilfred Danforth Wiley*, b. 24 Dec. 1866; m. 30 Sept. 1891, Frances, dau. of Charles W. and Jane (Hardy) Fonda, of Three Rivers, Mich., b. 19 July, 1868.

Child of Wilfred D. and Frances (Fonda) Wiley:

Fred. Harold Wiley, b. 24 Aug. 1893.

xi. CHARLOTTE CAROLINE, b. 2 Jan. 1840; m. 14 June, 1877, Dr. Francis W. Lytle; he d. at St. Louis, Mo., 18 July, 1884. Res. at Wellington, Kan.

Children of Francis W. and Charlotte C. (Danforth) Lytle:

1. *Francis Wayland Lytle*, b. 13 Aug. 1878.
2. *William Roland Lytle*, b. 14 May, 1881.
3. *Walter Wiley Lytle*, b. 21 Jan. 1883.

xii. FRANCES GERTRUDE, b. 22 Oct. 1845; m. 24 April, 1873, Benjamin F. Bradley, of Trenton, Ill. Res. at Wellington, Kan.

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HENRY KEYES,[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Georgia, Vt., 3 April, 1792; died 2 April, 1872; married in Skaneateles, N. Y., in Sept. 1817, Hester Savage, born 2 Sept. 1791, died in Pekin, Niagara co., N. Y., 30 July, 1871.

Children; all but Louisa Ann born in Pekin:

i. LOUISA ANN,[8] b. in Skaneateles, 4 July, 1818; d. 18 June, 1884; m. 14 Oct. 1846, Samuel Tompkins of La Salle, Niagara Co., N. Y.; he d. 4 June, 1884.

Children of Samuel and Louisa A. (Danforth) Tompkins:

1. *Henry Tompkins*, b. 3 Feb. 1848.
2. *Elbertine Tompkins*, b. 9 June, 1850: d. 14 April, 1883.
3. *Charles Tompkins*, b. 17 Nov. 1852; d. 5 March, 1860.
4. *Marcia Tompkins*, b. 24 Oct. 1857.
5. *Charlotte Tompkins*, b. 23 Feb. 1860; m. 5 Dec. 1883, William J. Clarke.

ii. LAWRENCE, b. 25 Dec. 1820: d. 21 June, 1831; m. first, —— Shaw; m. second, ———.

iii. ELBERTINE, b. 9 Nov. 1823.

395. iv. JAMES HENRY, b. 15 Feb. 1826.

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v. CHARLES, b. 16 Nov. 1828; res. in Jan. 1893, at Woodlawn Park, Chicago.
vi. ANNA, b. 7 July, 1832; d. in Oct. 1832.
vii. CORNELIA, b. 13 Jan. 1834; d. 17 Aug. 1877.

221.

WILLIAM[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at St. Albans, Vt., 27 March, 1794; died at Newbury, Wis., in 1850. At some date after 1823 he removed to Russell, St. Lawrence co., N. Y., and in 1846 to Prairieville, Wis., thence to Hartford, Wis., where he lived two years; then to Newbury, Wis., his home till his death.

He married Louisa Keyes of Cambridge, Vt.

Children:

i. WILLIAM KEYES,[8] b. in 1821; "died, leaving wife and children in Missouri."
ii. EMERSON, b. in 1822; res. in Manistee, Mich.
396. iii. NELSON, b. in St. Albans, 16 April, 1823.
iv. ANN MARIA, b. in 1825; m. Edward Hand; res. Chicago.
v. CLINTON, b. in 1827; res. Manistee; large family; one son is Charles.
vi. LOUISA, b. in 1828; m. Sam. G. Burdick; d. in 1873.
vii. LOUIS, b. in 1830; went to Cal.; not heard from.
viii. CHARLES W., b. in 1833; d. in 1860 at Marquette, Wis.
ix. HENRY.
x. KEYES, b. in 1841; d. at Denver, Col., in 1882.

222.

E. PORTER[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 24 Nov. 1801; died 9 Sept. 1881; married first, 13 Jan. 1830, Paulina Kingsbury, of Fairfax, Vt. He married second, 11 June, 1854, Francis L. Storey of Fairfield, Vt.

Children:

i. CORNELIA,[8] b. 6 Dec. 1830; m. 13 Dec. 1860, Julius W. Dee, of Lawrence co., N. Y.
ii. LUCIA, b. 13 Aug. 1833; d. 4 June, 1835.
iii. LUCIA H., b. 2 Dec. 1835; d. 11 Aug. 1857.
iv. ADALINE A., b. 2 Feb. 1838; m. in 1857, Solomon C. Bixby, of Fairfax, Vt.
v. SARAH M., b. 29 May, 1840; m. 12 May, 1861, Benj. S. Ballard, of Georgia, Vt.
vi. LAURA C., b. 14 June, 1842; m. 31 March, 1864, Ransom Merrill of Fairfax.

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vii. MARY L., b. 2 Aug. 1845; m. 15 Oct. 1868, Henry S. Holmes, of Fairfield, Vt.

viii. CLARISSA P., b. 13 March, 1848; m. in 1870, Edgar J. Pease, of Fairfax.

ix. HARRIET L., b. 2 Aug. 1852; m. 14 Aug. 1877, Harvey A. Story of St. Albans, Vt.

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CHARLES[7] (*Keyes*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 5 Feb. 1804; died at Washington, D. C., 14 Dec. 1885; married first, 11 July, 1831, Charity, daughter of Daniel and Charity (Fuller) Foster, of Leroy, N. Y., born in Newburyport, 16 July, 1812; died at Troy, N. Y., 31 Dec. 1869.

He grad. Williams College; settled at Leroy, N. Y., and practised law; was judge of county court over a circuit of 40 miles. He possessed great energy and discernment, and performed a large amount of legal business; retained his faculties into ripe old age. After the death of his first wife he removed to Washington, D. C., where he married his second wife and had two sons born. He married second, 27 June, 1872, Diana E. Jones, born at Sligo, Md., 6 Dec. 1842. She was a daughter of Capt. John Courts Jones, of Montgomery, Md. (d. 1880, æ. 78), of U. S. Navy and revenue service. He was son of Major John Courts Jones and grandson of Colonel Robert Hanson Harrison, confidential secretary of General Washington, and afterward until his death Justice of U. S. Supreme Court.

Mrs. Danforth resides at Forest Glen, Md.

Children:

i. HELEN AUGUSTA,[8] b. 7 June, 1832; m. 1 June, 1854, William C. Hart of Troy, b. 6 March, 1818; d. in 1890.

Children of William C. and Helen A. (Danforth) Hart:

1. *Emma Willard Hart*, b. in Troy, 18 Jan., d. 19 Aug. 1856.
2. *Helen Hart*, b. 19 Jan. 1860.
3. *William Cook Hart*, b. 10 May, 1873; Williams Coll., class of 1894.

397. ii. RODERICK FOSTER, b. 9 Oct. 1835.

iii. CHARLES HART, b. 5 Feb. 1876. He was educated at Gonzaga College, aiming at the legal profession. On the outbreak of the Spanish war he enlisted and served in Cuba till sent to the Philippines; second lieutenant of the 31st U. S. Infantry appointed adjutant of the district of Mindanao and Jolo, May 13, 1901.

iv. JOHN COURTS JONES, b. 2 March, 1880; d. 3 Dec. 1881.

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GEORGE[7] (*Keyes*,[6] *Jonathan*[5], *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Williamstown, 24 July, 1808; died 14 Feb., 1864; married at Leroy, N. Y., 4 Sept., 1834, Mary B. Foster, born in Newburyport, 12 June, 1814, died 25 Nov., 1880. He grad. from Williams College; studied law; settled at Ann Harbor, Mich., in 1836; was eminent at the bar; state senator one term; was postmaster some time.

Children:

i. GEORGE MONTGOMERY,[8] b. 30 Sept., 1836; d. unm., 7 Jan., 1881.
ii. MARY CORNELIA, b. 25 Aug., 1838; d. 18 Aug., 1839.
iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. 1 July, 1840; d. 21 Feb., 1882; m. T. M. Baxter, of Chicago, Ill. No children.
iv. ELIZABETH FOSTER, b. 28 Oct., 1845; m. Edgar Boardman Jewett, of Buffalo, N. Y., mayor of the city, 1894–5.
v. DANIEL FOSTER, b. 18 Feb., 1848. Was in Kansas City in 1880.

225.

KEYES[7] (*Keyes*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Williamstown, 11 Jan., 1822; died from the effects of a fall from his carriage, 21 Oct., 1897; married first, 28 Sept., 1852, Anna L. Lyon, dau. of Col. James Lyon of Woodstock, Conn., born in 1832, died 28 Jan., 1868. He married second, 21 July, 1869, Caroline M. Smith, of Albany, born 25 Dec., 1838.

After his graduation at Williamstown in 1846, he studied law with George H. Browne, of Providence, R. I., in Chepatchet, R. I., and was admitted to the bar. Later he returned to Williamstown and practised until 1885, when he was appointed judge of the local court. From 1862 to 1882 he was assistant treasurer of Williams College, and did most of the work of the treasurer. He was a member of the town school committee, and town treasurer for twenty years, and assessor and selectman at various times. In 1862 and in 1880 he was elected to the Legislature. He was president of the Danforth Family Association in 1886. Judge Danforth was one of the original members of the Society of Sons of the American Revolution.

Child:

398. BUSHNELL,[8] b. 19 Nov., 1854.

226.

JESSE[7] (*David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nichlas*[1]), born at Chelmsford, 27 Aug., 1776; died in 1852; married

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in Hollis, 24 April, 1797, Sarah, dau. of Josiah and Sally Wheat, of Hollis, N. H. They resided at Waltham in 1816 and 1832.

Children:

i. JESSE,[8] b. 18 Feb., 1798; d. 1 July, 1849; lived in Ottawa, La salle Co., Illinois.
ii. DAVID, b. 17 April, d. 13 Oct., 1799.
iii. SARAH, b. 3 July, 1800; res. Nashua, N. H.
iv. DAVID, b. 19 May, 1802; went west, m. 21 June, 1821, Huldah Reed.
v. SOLOMON, b. 8 Dec., 1803.
vi. HARRIET, b. 30 April, 1805; d. æ. 7 by clothing taking fire at school in Oct., 1812.
vii. SUSAN, b. 16 Dec., 1806; m. 19 Sept., 1833, Josiah A. Wheat; res. Nashua.

Children of Josiah A. and Susan (Danforth) Wheat:

1. *George Edwin Wheat*, b. 4 Jan., 1842.
2. *Emma Sophia Wheat*, b. 17 April, 1844.

viii. BENJAMIN, b. 17 Nov., 1808; went west.
ix. JOSEPH, b. 4 Nov., 1810; d. in 1812.
x. SOPHRONIA, b. 26 Oct., 1812; d. in 1814.

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TIMOTHY[7] (*David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Chelmsford, 2 April, 1778; died 17 May, 1855; married first, 12 Aug., 1798, Mary Nevins, born in 1768, died in 1806. He married second, 23 Sept., 1808, Bridget Blanchard, dau. of Augustus Blanchard, of Milford, N. H., born in Merrimack, 23 June, 1776; died in Amherst, N. H., 16 July, 1837. He married third, 11 Jan., 1838, Lucretia Barnard, dau. of Rev. Jere. Barnard of Amherst, many years minister of Trinitarian Cong. Church; she was born 26 July, 1794. He resided in Amherst from early childhood; was appointed postmaster during the administration of his cousin, President Franklin Pierce.

Children:

399. i. TIMOTHY S.,[8] b. in Milford, 26 May, 1799.
400. ii. WILLIAM NEVINS, b. 13 July, 1802.
iii. WALTER, b. in Milford, 19 Feb., 1804; d. in Portland, Me., 5 Aug., 1848, unm.
401. iv. JOEL CROSBY, b. in Milford, 14 June, 1809.
401*a* v. CHARLES PINCKNEY, b. 16 Sept., 1812.
vi. HANNAH CROSBY, b. 11 Nov., 1820; d. 14 May, 1857; m. (as his first wife) 27 May, 1839, Caleb Clesson Field, M.D., b. 27 May, 1810, d. 6 May, 1881. He was son of George and Phila (Holton) Field, b. at Northfield. Grad. Amherst College in 1833; taught school in Concord, Mass. Studied medicine under Drs.

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John Ware and Walter Channing in Boston, and Dr. Twitchell of Keene, N. H. Received his medical degree from Dartmouth College; practised at Leominster, Mass. He was highly respected.

Children of Caleb C. and Hannah C. (Danforth) Field:

1. *Mary Crosby Field*, b. 27 April, 1840; d. 26 Dec., 1845.
2. *Clesson Field*, b. 16 June, 1845; m. 4 Oct., 1870, Sarah Eva Murchison, of Halifax, N. S., b. 17 April, 1852. He is a printer, learned the trade of his uncle Charles P. Danforth; residence, Brooklyn, N. Y.

   Children:

   (1) George M. Field, b. in Boston, 1 July, 1872.
   (2) Charles Clesson Field, b. 20 Feb., 1874.
   (3) Walter Pinckney Field, b. 27 July, 1875.
   (4) Alfred W. Field, b. in Brooklyn, N. Y., 4 April, 1880.

3. *Jenny Louise Field*, b. 5 Feb., 1849; d. 20 July, 1850.
4. *Alfred Withington Field*, b. 14 May, 1851; d. 29 July, 1882.
5. *Charles Sumner Field*, b. 28 Feb., 1854; d. 19 March, 1857.
6. *Catherine Sophia Field*, b. 23 Dec., 1855; d. 13 Sept., 1875.

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BENJAMIN PIERCE[7] (*David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Chelmsford, 22 Feb. 1780; died 19 March, 1837; lived some years in Waltham; married 17 Aug. 1800, Mary Willoughby, of Hollis, N. H.

Children:

i. MARY,[8] b. 7 Jan. 1801; d. 19 Dec. 1862.

ii. ELIZABETH PIERCE, b. 20 Jan. 1803; d. at Pecatonica, Ill., 17 Feb. 1877; m. 29 Sept. 1831, Rev. John Morrill, b. 25 Aug. 1796; Amherst Coll.; Andover Theol. Sem. 1831; d. at Pecatonica, Ill. Immediately on graduating he married, was ordained in company with 30 of his classmates by N. Y. Presbytery, and started with his wife for the West to act as missionary. Traveling with horse and wagon they were six weeks in reaching the Ohio river, where selling the wagon he proceeded on horseback, while she went down the river in a flat boat and reached her destination only after some impediments caused by the swollen state of the river. After five years labor in Ohio they removed to Illinois, where Mr. Morrill organized the first Congregational church in Rockford. In several following years during which he was often the only Congregational minister in a circuit of 50 miles, he organized numerous churches.

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Their only daughter, Mary Elizabeth, b. 2 August, 1835, after the death of her parents resided with her aunt, Mrs. Lephe Pierce Danforth, Philadelphia.

iii. BENJAMIN, b. in Jan. 1805; d. in infancy.

iv. REBECCA, b. 5 Dec. 1806, d. in Alton, Ill., 26 Jan. 1889.

v. SOPHIA NICHOLS, b. 30 Jan. 1809, d. in Lawrence, 14 Nov. 1861; m. 6 June, 1833, Israel Morrell, at Connersville, Ind., removed thence to Rockford, Ill., and thence to Lawrence, Mass. They had two children:

1. *Franklin Howard Morrell*, b. 12 May, 1836; m. 7 Nov. 1859, Adeline E. Barton, of Lawrence, Mass. Resided in Philadelphia. Engaged in Danforth Belting Co.

2. *Edward D. Morrell*, b. 29 July, 1837; m. Mary E. Pierson, of Lowell.

vi. SARAH ANN, b. 25 May, 1811; d. in Alton, Ill., 22 Aug. 1887; m. Don Alonzo Spaulding, of Rockford, Ill. Resided at Alton, Ill. One dau., Helen M. Spaulding, b. 13 April, 1840; m. 17 Nov. 1859, A. T. Hawley, of Alton. Res. Alton.

402. vii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 9 July, 1813.

viii. LEPHE PIERCE, b. 28 April, 1816; m. her cousin, David Danforth, No. 403; q. v.

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DAVID[7] (*David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Chelmsford, 11 May, 1784; died 2 March, 1867; married in 1812, Mary Walker, of Antrim, N. H. Resided in Hillsboro.

Children:

i. GEORGE,[8] b. 4 March, 1815; d. 16 Nov. 1816.

ii. MARY, b. 4 Sept. 1817; m. John Small.

iii. CATHARINE, b. 20 Feb. 1820.

403. iv. DAVID, b. in Nov. 1821.

v. REBECCA, b. 20 July, 1823; m. Alvan Weeks.

vi. ELIZABETH, b. 27 Aug. 1825; d. in 1825.

vii. Twins, b. and d. in 1830.

404. viii. BENJAMIN PIERCE, b. 4 May, 1831.

405. ix. ANDREW JACKSON, b. 27 June, 1833.

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SOLOMON[7] (*Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Merrimack, N. H., 27 March, 1782; died 20 Aug. 1826; married 29 Nov. 1811, Ruth, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Tarbell) Nourse, of Merrimack, born 28 March, 1784, died 31 Oct. 1836.

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Children:

i. EMILY CAROLINE,[8] b. in Merrimack 14 Sept. 1812; d. 16 March, 1880; m. Samuel Flanders.
ii. EUNICE NOURSE, b. 19 March, 1815; d. 14 Nov. 1852.
iii. SARAH ANN, b. 19 Jan. 1817; d. 30 Sept. 1822.
iv. JOHN MUNROE, b. 17 May, 1820; d. 26 Sept. 1822.
406. v. JOHN NOURSE, b. 25 Dec. 1823.

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SIMEON CUMMINGS[7] (*Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Merrimack, N. H., 31 March, 1786; died at Amherst, N. H., 26 July, 1869; married in Bluehill, Me., 7 Feb., 1811, Abigail, daughter of Daniel and Sarah (Smith) Osgood, born in Bluehill, Me., 23 Sept., 1793; died in Amherst, 13 Feb. 1854. Lived in Atkinson and Kirkland, Me.; removed to Merrimack, N. H., about 1830. Of their twelve children all but one grew up and married.

Children, the first nine born in Atkinson:

407. i CHARLES CUMMINGS,[8] b. 12 April, 1812.
408. ii. DANIEL OSGOOD, b. 17 March, 1816.
409. iii. SOLOMON, b. 8 March, 1818.
iv. SOPHRONIA CHILD, b. 25 July, 1819; m. 28 Dec. 1837, Samuel H. Kingsbury, b. 20 Nov. 1816.

Children of Samuel H. and Sophronia C. (Danforth) Kingsbury:

1. *John Edwin Kingsbury*, b. 8 July, 1840; m. in Chicago, 14 Feb. 1861, Margaret M. Eckhardt.
2. *Samuel Prescott Kingsbury*, b. 3 Aug. 1842; d. 23 March, 1866; m. in June, 1865; name of wife not given.
3. *Sarah Abigail Kingsbury*, b. 24 April, 1844; m. 14 Feb. 1861, Tuttle K. Sweeney.
4. *Charles Osgood Kingsbury*, b. 1 Nov. 1845; m. in Aug. 1873, Mary Defoe.
5. *Francis J. Kingsbury*, b. 12 Aug.; d. 4 Sept. 1846.
6. *Frank A. Kingsbury*, b. 26 May, 1849; d. 24 June, 1852.

410. v. VESPASIAN, b. 5 Nov. 1820.
vi. ELIZA JANE CUMMINGS, b. 23 Sept. 1822; m. Amherst, 22 Dec. 1842, Francis K. Boutelle. b. 1 Nov. 1818; in ice trade.

Children of Francis K. and Eliza J. C. (Danforth) Boutelle, all born at Amherst:

1. *Albert F. Boutelle*, b. 26 March, 1845; d. at Milford, N. H., 15 Dec. 1885; m. 19 March, 1866, Eliza A. H. Sanderson.
2. *George K. Boutelle*, b. 19 July, 1847; m. 23 Dec. 1869, Adeline S. Davis.

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3. *Charles C. Boutelle*, b. 7 Oct. 1850; m. 20 Oct. 1874, Mary Ellen Loveland; she was b. 28 Oct. 1849.
4. *Creighton P. Boutelle*, b. 5 July, 1856; m. 19 March, 1885, Elizabeth G. Lang. Dau. Harriet Boutelle, b. in Chelsea, 5 Nov. 1886.
5. *Elmer E. Boutelle*, b. 22 April, 1861; m. in Ashburnham, 29 April, 1887, Adeline A. Baker.

411. vii. SIMEON CUMMINGS, b. 17 May, 1824.
viii. ABIGAIL, b. 6 May, 1826; d. in Kirkland, Me., 22 April, 1830.
ix. LOVISA CHURCHILL, b. 7 Dec. 1827; d. at Nashua, 13 July, 1852; m. in Nashua, 13 March, 1851, John Perkins, of Nashua, b. in Alton, N. H., 10 April, 1833; d. in Aug. 1886.

Child of John and Lovisa C. (Danforth) Perkins:

*Ella*, b. 6 March, 1853; m. 10 July, 1873, Wallace S. Jackman, dry goods, res. Nashua. Children:
(1) Edith Jackman, b. 31 Jan. 1878.
(2) Harvey B. Jackman, b. 27 Feb. 1879.
(3) Eleanor Jackman, b. 27 Nov. 1883.

x. SARAH ABIGAIL, b. in Kirkland, Me., 2 Sept. 1830; d. in Merrimack, 29 Sept. 1833.
xi. RUFUS EDMUND, b. in Merrimack, N. H., 22 Aug. 1832; d. 8 Sept. 1833.
412. xii. RUFUS EDMUND, b. in Merrimack, N. H., 4 Feb. 1834.

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RUFUS[7] (*Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Merrimack, N. H., 25 Feb. 1791; died 23 Jan. 1860; married in Concord, N. H., 22 June, 1817, Sarah Herbert, of Concord, born 27 Dec. 1797; died 7 Nov. 1811.

Children:

i. MARY ANN,[8] b. 26 March, 1818; m. 22 Sept. 1845, Jabez L. Pearson, b. 2 Nov. 1821.

Children of Jabez L. and Mary Ann (Danforth) Pearson:

1. *Edward G. Pearson*, b. 3 July, 1846; m. 29 April, 1874, Nettie True, b. April, 1846.
2. *Frank M. Pearson*, b. 15 Aug. 1847; d. 10 Dec. 1850.
3. *George R. Pearson*, b. 10 June, 1849; d. 28 Nov. 1850.
4. *George F. Pearson*, b. 8 May, 1852; d. 8 Feb. 1859.

Mary Ann (Danforth) Pearson m. (2) in Feb. 1870, Daniel Granger, b. 19 Sept. 1806, d. 8 April, 1878.

413. ii. JACOB ISRAEL, b. 21 Oct. 1821.
iii. CALVIN S., b. 13 June, 1826; d. 17 May, 1830.
413*a*. iv. CALVIN H., b. 30 Sept. 1831.

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SIMEON[7] (*William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 2 Dec. 1783; died in Derry, 27 July, 1846; married 10 March, 1807, Nancy Craigie, daughter of James and Jane (Wallace) Anderson, born 15 Oct. 1784, died 10 Sept. 1850. He was of Londonderry, and of Derry when set off. Was a blacksmith. Kept tavern many years in Derry; held many town offices.

Aug. 4, 1846, on petition of the widow, Joseph A. Gregg was appointed administrator. John H. Miltimore of Derry acted as agent for Mary W., wife of Ebenezer Gregg, of Elyria, O., one of the heirs. Nancy's will, dated 4 July, 1849, was duly probated after her death; she bequeathed her estate to daughter, Lucy Jane, wife of Benjamin F. Gregg, Esq.; to son Daniel W. Danforth; to daughter Mary W., wife of Eben. Gregg, of Ohio; to son William Alonzo and daughter Adeline Danforth.

Children:

i. LUCY JANE,[8] b. in Derry, 16 Aug. 1807; m. 12 Dec. 1833, Benj. F. Gregg of Derry.

Children of Benjamin F. and Lucy Jane (Danforth) Gregg:

1. *Adeline Danforth Gregg*, b. 26 June, 1835; m. 12 Aug. 1860, Chas. F. Wheeler; 6 children.
2. *Lucinda Jane Gregg*, b. 18 Aug. 1837.
3. *Alonzo Jarvis Gregg*, b. 24 March, 1840.
4. *Frank Washington Gregg*, b. 26 June, 1847.

ii. MARY WALLACE, b. 18 Nov. 1809; d. 11 Aug. 1870, in Lorain, Ohio; m. 19 Sept. 1829, Eben. Gregg of Derry, b. in Dorchester, N. H., 1803, d. in Lorain, Ohio, 21 Aug. 1886. He m. (2) Adeline Wallace Danforth (below).

Children of Eben. and Mary W. (Danforth) Gregg:

1. *Cynthia Anderson Gregg*, b. in Derry, 9 March, 1833; d. in Cleveland, 1838.
2. *Simeon Danforth Gregg*, b. 7 Aug. 1837.
3. *Mary Hannah Gregg*, b. 10 Aug. 1840.
4. *Arthur Livermore Gregg*, b. 27 Sept. 1842; d. 9 March, 1873.
5. *Luther Bell Gregg*, b. 7 April, 1845.
6. *Lucy Eliza Gregg*, b. 27 March, 1847.
7. *Adeline Danforth Gregg*, b. 25 Nov. 1849; d. 30 April, 1850.

414. iii. DANIEL WARNER, b. 2 March, 1812; d. 1 Nov. 1884.

iv. WILLIAM ALONZO, b. 16 Nov. 1814; d. in Lorain, O., 12 Jan. 1892, unm.

v. ADELINE WALLACE, b. 11 Sept. 1818; m. 30 Dec. 1872, Eben. Gregg, formerly husband of her sister, Mary Wallace Danforth.

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WILLIAM[7] (*William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Derry, 7 Feb. 1799; died in Roxbury, Mass., 31 July, 1866. Cabinet maker. Married first, at Boston, 11 Oct. 1824, Ruth Peabody Reed, of Andover, Mass., born 25 July, 1805, died 7 April, 1841. He married second, 14 July, 1842, Asenath, daughter of Samuel and Mary Trofitter of Salem, born in Nov. 1803, died 5 May, 1882.

She made her will 4 Aug. 1880; bequeathed chiefly to her nearest relatives, making Edward T. Trofitter, of Newtonville, executor; also a bequest to Mrs. Mary Danforth, of Boston Highlands, and left "the two portraits of Father and Mother" to Edward T. Danforth.

Children:

i. WILLIAM BREWER,[8] b. 7 Sept. 1825; d. 14 Nov. 1832.
ii. AMANDA, b. 19 Oct. 1827; d. 16 Nov. 1832.
iii. HANNAH, b. 1828; d. æ. 1 year, 26 Sept. 1829.
415. iv. EDWIN, b. 1 Sept. 1829.
416. v. EDWARD TURNER, b. 10 July, 1831.
vi. HANNAH, b. July, d. 7 Sept. 1833.
vii. THADDEUS, b. 30 March, d. 29 Sept. 1836.
417. viii. ALONZO, b. 21 July, 1837.
418. ix. WILLIAM, b. 11 Aug. 1839.
x. MELISSA, or "CECILIA," b. 2 March, and d. 30 Aug. 1841.
xi. LAURA, b. in 1844; d. in 6 months.

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DAVID[7] (*Jacob*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 15 Aug. 1798; died at Grafton, Vt., 1 Feb. 1870; married first, Huldah Whitney. She died in Walpole, N. H. He married second, Harriet Chapin, born in 1811, died in Oct. 1860.

He was a blacksmith; lived many years in Walpole, N. H., and Westminster, Vt.

Children:

i. MARTHA.[8]
ii. GEORGE.
419. iii. LEWIS E., b. [Aug. 1826].
iv. EMILY, m. William Cornell; res. St. Louis, Mo.

Children of William and Emily (Danforth) Cornell:

1. *Emma Cornell*, m. (1) Mr. Fitz; m. (2) George T. Walker.
2. *Robert Cornell*, res. St. Louis, Mo.

v. HENRY.
vi. HARRIET.

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420. vii. ALONZO H., b. 10 April, 1837.
421. viii. DAVID, b. 8 May, 1839.
422. ix. JACOB, b. 4 July, 1843.
x. JULIA, b. 2 June, 1845; m. Charles Ross, farmer, Onawa, Kan.

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CAPT. GEORGE[7] (*Jacob*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 April, 1807; married in 1827, Sarah Melzer, born in Milford, 27 July, 1810; died 30 Oct. 1882. Residence at Danforth's Corner, Amherst, N. H.

Children:

i. ADELINE SOPHIA,[8] b. 13 May, d. 6 Sept. 1841.
ii. LUCY ADELINE, b. in Amherst, 23 Aug. 1842; m. at Hudson, 25 Nov. 1874, Obed Ware, b. in Jefferson, Me., 1838; res. Pepperell.
iii. EDGAR ADELBERT, b. 12 May, 1846; m. first, 1 Oct. 1867, Lucy A. Merrill. He m. second, Jenny Clay of Lowell.
iv. SARAH JOSEPHINE, b. in Amherst, 3 May, 1848; m. (1) 16 May, 1872, Charles Hay of Lowell. She m. second, Luther Cawley; res. Lowell.
v. ELLA ELVADA, b. 23 Dec. 1856; m. 4 May, 1879, Arthur Hill of Amherst (son of Samuel).

Children of Arthur and Ella E. (Danforth) Hill:

1. *George Arthur Hill*, b. 26 June, 1880.
2. *Bessy Louisa Hill*, b. 8 May, 1883.

## 236.

OCTA[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Sept. 1809; died 10 Aug. 1883; married in Jan. 1831, Nancy Reed, of Acton. Residing in Boston, he bought of his father land in Stow, 12 April, 1830. Removed to Hudson, Mass.

Children:

i. HARRIET,[8] b. 30 Jan. 1833; m. at Harvard, 24 April, 1851, Chas. M. Blood, of Brockton; shoemaker; son of Eben. and Tamar E. L. Blood.
ii. MARIA, b. 22 Feb. 1834: m. 23 Oct. 1854, at Harvard, Alanson Rice, son of George, of Grafton, b. in 1832; shoemaker.
iii. ROXANNA, b. 23 March, 1835; m. 8 Jan. 1851, Robert Sylvanus, son of Sylvanus and Elvira Harlow, of Cornish, N. H., b. 18 Oct. 1830, shoemaker.

Children of Robert S. and Roxanna (Danforth) Harlow:

1. *Emma Louise Harlow*, b. 24 July, 1852; d. 28 Aug. 1854.

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2. *Marilla Evora Harlow*, b. 28 Nov. 1853; m. in March, 1873, John Lewis Spooner; res. S. Framingham.
3. *Ella Josephine Harlow*, b. 2 Jan. 1856; dressmaker, Marlboro.
4. *Eva Leona Harlow*, b. 24 July, 1861; milliner, Marlboro.
5. *Emma Louisa Harlow*, b. 22 March, 1862.
6. *George Henry Harlow*, b. 14 Nov. 1863.
7. *Grace Gertrude Harlow*, b. 3 March, 1867.

423. iv. ALBERT, b. 30 April, 1836.
424. v. ALFRED, b. in 1838.
vi. CAROLINE, b. in 1842; m. 22 Sept. 1857, at Harvard, John H. Dascomb, son of Daniel and Hannah D. of Cambridge; he was a machinist, res. at Leominster.
425. vii. WALTER, b. 14 March, 1845.
426. viii. ANDREW, b. in 1847.

237.

HOLLIS[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Stow, 11 May, 1818; died in Cambridge, 7 Aug. 1878; married 10 Nov. 1839, Susanna Moore, dau. of Rufus Houghton, of Bolton, born 8 Oct. 1816; he resided at Bolton. He made his will 6 Aug. 1878; bequeathed his estate to his wife; to children Josephine Danforth (of Newtonville), Francena Young, Susanna M. Gillon, Georgianna and Henry M. Danforth (of Cambridge).

Children:

i. JOSEPHINE,[8] b. in Bolton, 14 Aug. 1840.
ii. FRANCENA, b. 17 June, 1842; m. in Cambridge, 29 July, 1863, Carlos Loring Young, b. in Hingham, 1830, son of Wm. and Dolly S. Y. He was reported killed by the Indians at the West in 1874.
iii. SUSANNAH MOORE, b. 21 June, 1844; m. 4 Nov. 1867, John Russell Gillon (son of Wm. and Sarah G.) of N. Y. City, b. in July, 1841; d. 31 March, 1872.

Children of John R. and Susannah M. (Danforth) Gillon:

1. *Josephine Danforth Gillon*, b. 27 July, 1868.
2. *Frank Edward Gillon*, b. 27 June, 1870.

iv. GEORGIANNA, b. 18 April, 1846.
v. EDWARD HOLLIS, b. 15 Sept. 1850; d. 20 March, 1874.
vi. HENRY MELLEN, b. 21 Sept. 1852; d. 15 Jan. 1884, leaving "no widow"; administration of his estate granted to Mrs. Young.

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DANIEL[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 28 Feb. 1822; died 15 April, 1874; married in

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Sudbury, 10 Oct. 1841, Olive G. Oakes, born at Somerset, Vt., 20 Aug. 1825. He was private in Co. F. 6th Regt. Vermont Vols.; served 3 years in the war of the Rebellion, and died of consumption at St. Paul, Minn.

Children:

i. CATHERINE L.,[8] b. Sudbury, 10 Aug. 1843; m. 4 July, 1861, in Lincoln, Vt., Augustus W. Chamberlain, son of Clark and Olivia C., of Stockbridge, Vt., b. 7 May, 1838.

Children of Augustus W. and Catherine L. (Danforth) Chamberlain:

1. *Melvin C. Chamberlain*, b. 8 May, 1862; m. 23 June, 1884, Flora B. Harrington, dau. of Oswell and Lavinia H. of Stockbridge.
2. *Mary C. Chamberlain*, b. 16 July, 1866; m. 20 Sept. 1884, Harris N., son of Silas and Maria Holland.
3. *Carlton A. Chamberlain*, b. 30 Aug. 1868.
4. *Effie O. Chamberlain*, b. 26 June, 1870.
5. *Walter A. Chamberlain*, b. 20 Jan. 1875.
6. *Maurice L. Chamberlain*, b. 4 May, 1880.
7. *Ray Chamberlain*, b. 11 Oct. 1881.

ii. THACHER O., b. in Sudbury, 18 July, 1846; d. 19 May, 1863. He was a private in Company F., 13th Regt. U. S. Infantry. He was instantly killed by a shot in the battle of Vicksburg.

iii. CLARA P., b. in Troy, N. H., 10 June, 1850; m. 10 June, 1868, in Mendon, Vt., Alonzo Ormsby, son of Ira and Laura O. of Mendon.

Children of Alonzo and Clara P. (Danforth) Ormsby:

1. *Ulysses A. Ormsby*, b. 9 Feb. 1870; d. 18 Sept. 1871.
2. *Arba E. Ormsby*, b. 17 Oct. 1876.
3. *Harley I. Ormsby*, b. 23 March, 1878.

427. iv. GEORGE A., b. in Troy, 2 July, 1852.

v. WALTER B., b. in Bellows Falls, 11 Sept. 1856.

vi. WILLIAM E., b. in Rutland, Vt., 25 Jan. 1861.

## 239.

JONATHAN[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Saratoga, N. Y., 25 Dec. 1781; died at Bath, N. Y., 26 July, 1824; married at Saratoga, N. Y., 10 June, 1806, Abigail, daughter of Gabriel and Elizabeth (Smith) Dusenberry, of Holland (Netherlands), born at Saratoga, N. Y., 20 Dec. 1788, died at Dansville in 1850. They resided in Saratoga, Dansville and Cohocton, N. Y.

Children:

i. ARVILLA,[8] b. in Saratoga, 19 Dec. 1807; d. at Danville, 17 Dec. 1889; m. at Cohocton, Steuben co., N. Y., 10 Dec. 1829,

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Major Merritt Holmes Brown, b. in Bennington, Vt., 17 Oct. 1805, d. in Dansville, 27 June, 1863; son of Merritt and Asenath (Holmes) Brown, of Cohocton, N. Y. Engaged for a time with his father in paper making, then rem. to Dansville, N. Y., where he was a dealer in hardware and agricultural implements; a man of rare social qualities. Mrs. Brown attained a serene old age.

Children of Merritt H. and Arvilla (Danforth) Brown:

1. *Andrew Jackson Brown*, b. 24 April, 1832, at Bath, N. Y.; m. at Avon, 18 Oct. 1859, Frances Shepard.
   Child: Carroll Shepard Brown, b. in Dansville, 1 April, 1864.
2. *Mary Elizabeth Brown*, b. 7 June, 1834; m. at Dansville, N. Y., 18 Oct. 1859, William Wilson Perrine.
   Children:
   (1) Harry Brown Perrine, b. in Dansville 1 Nov. 1860; Amh. Coll. 1886.
   (2) Wilson Hamilton Perrine, b. in Bath, N. Y. 24 April, 1866; Amh. Coll. 1889.
3. *Lucius Brown*, b. 6 May, 1837, at Dansville; d. 2 Feb. 1880; m. at Groveland, 9 Oct. 1865, Susan Cole.
   Child: Frank Holmes Brown, b. in Dansville, 25 Aug. 1866.
4. *Martha Gay Brown*, b. 5 May, 1840; d. Dec. 1884; m. in Dansville, N. Y., 22 Oct. 1862, Byron Whitney French, b. in West Bloomfield, N. Y., 18 Sept. 1837, son of Sereno and Jane (Whitney) French; residence, Chicago, Ill.
   Children of Byron W. and Martha G. (Brown) French:
   (1) Charles Brown French, b. 10 Sept. 1863; m. in Hamilton, Mo., 26 Dec. 1894, Pearl Ellen Ross.
   (2) Stuart Whitney French, b. 12 Feb. 1867; grad. Amherst Coll. 1889; m. 7 Nov. 1894, in Chicago, Helen Swain Sterison.
   (3) Mary Minerva French, b. 12 Dec. 1868.
   (4) Howard Dean French, b. 15 July, 1872.
   (5) Jane Arvilla French, b. 18 Oct. 1877.
   (6) Henry Preston French, b. 12 Feb. 1879.
5. *Minerva Bradner Brown*, b. 5 May, 1840; d. in Dec. 1884.
6. *Jane Harwood Brown*, b. 4 Feb. 1843; m. at Dansville, N. Y., 15 Oct. 1868, Orlando David Mosher Baker, son of Daniel and Sarah (Mosher) Baker, b. at Hyde Park, 31 July, 1842; res. New York city; d. 27 May, 1890.

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Children:

(1) Minnie Arvilla Baker, b. and d. in 1870.
(2) Mary Louise Baker, b. 7 Aug. 1871; librarian at West End Exchange and Industrial Union, N. Y.
(3) Sarah Josephine Baker, b. 15 Nov. 1873; grad. Women's Medical College [N. Y. Inf. for women and children]; physician N. E. Hospital, Boston, in 1899.
(4) Robert Nelson Millard Baker, b. 27 Dec. 1876; d. 7 March, 1890.

7. *Merritt Danforth Brown*, b. 13 Jan. 1848; m. Florence Bradford. Res. Saint Joseph, Mo.

ii. LUCILLA, b. 14 May, 1810; d. 22 Oct. 1826.

iii. PERMELIA, b. 17 May, 1813; m. James Armstrong, a farmer in Cohocton, N. Y.

Children of James and Permelia (Danforth) Armstrong:

1. *Edwin Armstrong;* m. Elizabeth Tucker.
2. *Harriet Armstrong;* m. Samuel Rosenkrantz.
3. *Lucy Armstrong;* m. —— Mattice.
4. *Susan Armstrong;* m. —— Stager.
5. *Martin Armstrong.*
6. [*Myron*] *Armstrong.*
7. *Lansing Armstrong.*

iv. MARILLA, b. 11 May, 1816; d. at Rochester, N. Y., 12 Feb. 1899; m. Blecker Lansing Hovey, M.D.; he practised for a time in Dansville; served as surgeon of a N. Y. regiment during the war for the Union; his wife and son also went to the seat of war and did hospital service; he returned to medical practice in Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. Hovey was conspicuous for her active service in religious and charitable work, greatly respected and beloved.

Child:

*Frank Hamilton Hovey*, b. 1846; d. 3 July, 1898.

## 240.

REUBEN[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Saratoga, N. Y., about 1778; died at Jay, N. Y., about 1860; married Phebe Noble; she died at Codyville (Clinton), N. Y., 1862.

Children:

i. JAMES.[8]
428. ii. ABRAM, b. at Lewis, N. Y., about 1810.
iii. GEORGE.
iv. ELIZA, d. at Codyville, N. Y., 1861.
429. v. MYRON, b. in 1817.
vi. CYNTHIA; m. —— Irish.

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241.

OLIVER[7] (*James*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 3 Dec. 1783; died in 1865; (Williams Coll. 1811); married a daughter of Deacon Sturgis of Ballston, N. Y.; removed to Augusta, Ga., and entered sympathetically into southern life.

Children:

i. JACOB.[8]
ii. DAVID.
iii. OLIVER.
iv. JOHN.
v. MALINDA; m. Thomas Nelson.

242.

ELIAS[7] (*James*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 13 Jan. 1788; died 26 Oct. 1868; married at Charlestown, 20 Feb. 1814, Lucy Smith, daughter of Richard and Esther (Pierce) Smith, of Sterling and Cambridge; she died 25 Dec. 1843. He married second, 23 Dec. 1845, Mrs. Louisa R. Cary (widow), of Lancaster, born in 1806.

Residence, Lancaster, Mass.

Children:

i. ELIZA L.,[8] b. 26 March, 1817; resides at Lancaster Centre; has expressed great interest in this work (1902).
ii. SARAH ANN, b. 16 Dec. 1821; d. 23 Nov. 1847.

243.

NICHOLAS[7] (*Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married Achsa Percy. Residence, North Hoosick, N. Y.

Children:

i. Mary,[8] m. Truman T. Sweet, N. Hoosick.
ii. ISAAC, residence, N. Hoosick.
iii. LOUISA, b. 27 March, 1826; m. 18 Jan. 1845, John H. Sweet.
Child of John H. and Louisa (Danforth) Sweet:
*Burke Sweet*, b. 22 Nov. 1846.
iv. DANIEL, res. near Rochester, N. Y.
v. ACHSAH, m. J. T. Sweet, of Cambridge, N. Y.

244.

SIMON[7] (*Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hoosick Falls, N. Y., about 1798; died about

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1834; married first, Abigail Moore. He married second, in 1831, Lucy Bridges. He married third, in 1831, Mary Bishop, born in Connecticut, 15 March, 1810, died in Canastota, N. Y., in 1858. "Squire Danforth" stood high in Madison County, N. Y., where he made his home; "a fine type of man, highly respected by everyone." His property was swept away in the failure of a merchant whose notes he had benevolently endorsed.

Children:

i. JOHN MOORE[8]; b. about 1823; "removed to Laporte, Ind., with his uncle John Moore."

ii. ELIZA JANE, b. 7 June, 1833; m. in Milwaukee, Wis., 23 Oct. 1854, James Blinn Stone, b. in Franklin co., Vt., 11 March, 1829, d. in Oshkosh, Wis., 25 Sept. 1884.

He was in youth a telegraph operator; worked in Milwaukee, Wis., in California, and elsewhere. One of the incorporators of the N. W. Telegraph Co.; manager of the telegraph office at Janesville, Wis., during the War and later; attended the famous Chicago convention of the Republican party in 1860, and was the first reporter to despatch out of the city the news of the nomination of Abraham Lincoln. Engaged in boot and shoe business at Oshkosh, Wis., in 1869.

Children of James B. and Eliza J. (Danforth) Stone:

1. *Florence Caroline Stone*, b. 5 Oct. 1855; d. 5 March, 1860.
2. *Katherine Louise Stone*, b. 18 Dec. 1858; m. at Oshkosh, 21 Feb. ~~1879~~ 1888, Harry Bagster Hobbins. Residence, Madison, Wis. She is recording secretary of the Woman's Club of that city.
3. *Mary Campbell Stone*, b. 3 Oct. 1863; m. at Oshkosh, 29 Sept. 1887, Arthur Wellington Greenwood.
4. *Gertrude Alice Stone*, b. 18 June, 18[illegible]; m. at ~~Madison~~, 6 Nov. 1891, Charles Marston Sanborn.

## 245.

AARON TAYLOR[7] (*Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Nov. 1804; died 16 July, 1881; married first, 5 Sept. 1822, Anna Dyer of Bennington, Vt., daughter of Benjamin and Polly (Clark) Dyer. He married second, 9 Sept. 1852, Eliza Goodwin Buck, daughter of Francis and Martha (Ward) Buck. She was born 10 Aug. 1805.

Children:

430. i. HIRAM DOANE,[8] b. 20 Jan. 1823; d. 22 Jan. 1885.

ii. AMELIA BILLINGS, b. 6 Sept. 1828; m. 17 June, 1850, at Monticello, N. Y., Van der Cook Snyder, son of George and Amelia (Van der Cook) Snyder, b. in Springfield, Otsego co., N. Y., 29 April, 1825.

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Children of Van der Cook and Amelia B. (Danforth) Snyder:

1. *Annie Lillian Snyder*, b. 16 May, 1851; m. Leverett Eckle; one daughter.
2. *Clark Henry Snyder*, b. 12 April, 1854.
3. *Frances Amelia Snyder*, b. 5 March, 1856; m. Geo. Frank Coon of Bennington, Vt.; one dau. Res. Omaha, Neb.
4. *Ward Beecher Snyder*, b. 9 July, 1859; d. unm. 9 Nov. 1871.

iii. PRISCILLA LOOMIS, b. 1 April, 1825; d. 12 April, 1845, unm.
iv. CHARLES DYER, b. 23 Sept. 1842; d. 18 Sept. 1861.

## 246.

JACOB[7] (*Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hoosick, N. Y., 24 Dec. 1814; died 10 Nov. 1865; married 26 Aug. 1844, Mary Larrabee, born 14 Oct. 1817.

Children:

i. MARCELIA,[8] b. 7 Dec. 1846.
ii. DWIGHT, b. 29 Sept. 1848; drowned 16 Aug. 1881.
iii. GEORGE, b. 20 Nov. 1850.
iv. IDA C., b. 15 Dec. 1853.

## 247.

JAMES[7] (*Jacob*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Nov. 1809; married first, Ann Clark, of Columbus; he married second, a wife whose name is not reported; he married third, Emily Post.

Children:

i. LAURA.[8]
ii. DISS.
iii. MARY.
iv. SAVANNAH, m. —— Robertson of Eufaula, Ala.
v. FRANK.
vi. BENJAMIN.
vii. ADA.
viii. EMELINE.
ix. ELIZABETH.

## 248.

JACOB[7] (*Jacob*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1814; died in May, 1873; married ——— Avery.

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Children:

i. MARY,[8] m. Capt. Clarke.
ii. ALICE, m. Capt. Stone.
iii. HENRY, d. 10 May, 1860.
iv. THOMAS METCALF.
v. ELIZABETH.
vi. PERCY.

## 249.

AZEL WARREN[7] (*Francis*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rutland, Vt., 4 July, 1793; died 5 Nov. 1864; married first, Mary Stickles, of Ballston Centre, N. Y., born in 1798 or 1799; died 2 Nov. 1830. He married second, Sarah Stickles, born in 1804; died 8 March, 1839. He married third, Eliza Ann Phillips.

Children:

i. MARY,[8] b. 7 Oct. 1822; m. 28 March, 1842, Henry Delavan Curtis of Ballston.
ii. EUNICE WARREN, b. 18 July, 1825; m. 15 Sept. 1845, Reuben Smith Curtis, of Watertown, N. Y.

Children of Reuben S. and Eunice W. (Danforth) Curtis:

1. *Ella Mary Curtis*, b. in Sept. 1847; m. 31 March, 1872, John Monroe Lyon, Congregational minister, Rochester, Mich.
2. *Edward Danforth Curtis*, Congregational minister, b. 31 March, 1851; res. Indianapolis; m. 9 Sept. 1876, Nancy Conkling, dau. of Stephen Sayre and Phebe (Lothrop) Conkling of Middletown, Orange co., N. Y.
3. *Charles Lawson Curtis*, b. 22 Feb. 1853.
4. *Frederic Warren Curtis*, b. 14 Aug. 1861.
5. *Harry Delavan Curtis*, b. 30 March, 1864.

iii. WARREN, b. 28 Feb. 1829; unm.; res. in Cresco, Iowa.
iv. MARGARET, b. 6 Aug. 1833.
v. JAMES HENRY, b. 20 Dec. 1835; d. 18 June, 1839.
431. vi. JAMES HENRY, b. 26 Sept. 1840.
vii. JULIA, b. 23 June, 1842; m. 22 Dec. 1864, Edwin Bush, of Watertown, N. Y.
viii. AZEL MERRILL, b. 11 Sept. 1856; d. 31 Aug. 1862.

## 250.

HENRY[7] (*Francis*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 12 Dec. 1806; married Fidelia Barron, of Troy.

Children:

i. CAROLINE,[8] b. in 1833; m. George White.
ii. VIRGINIA, m. Edward Babcock, son of Rev. Dr. Babcock (Episcopalian), of Ballston, N. Y.

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250*a*.

CHARLES[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Rupert, Vt., 23 Aug. 1800; grad. Williams College in 1826; became a Presbyterian minister.

He married Cornelia Flower Sadd, born in Hartford, Conn.

Child:

431*a*. CHARLES FRANKLIN,[8] b. at Orwell, O., 1836.

251.

CHALLEN[7] (*Cyrus*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), named for Rev. Dr. Challen of Cincinnati, O.; born 30 Jan. 1844, in Oquaka, Henderson co., Illinois; removed to Winterset, Iowa; a hardware dealer. Married 14 July, 1872, [Lida] Sturman.

Children:

i. BEULAH,[8] b. 11 Feb. 1874.
ii. FRED E., b. 25 Jan. 1883.
iii. ALFRED D., b. 10 May, 1884.
iv. LUCILLE, b. 25 Feb. 1887.
v. JAMES B., b. 29 April, 1891.

252.

REV. WILLIAM,[7] (*William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Windsor, Vt., 10 July, 1788; died in Oct. 1856; rem. with his parents and their family to Berkshire, Vt.; became a Methodist preacher; married 23 Jan. 1809, Mary Farnsworth, born at Woodstock, Vt., 24 May, 1781.

Children:

i. AURELIA,[8] b. in Berkshire, Vt., 12 July, 1810.
432. ii. SYLVESTER, b. 10 May, 1812.
433. iii. WILLIAM B., b. 30 March, 1814.
434. iv. JONATHAN FARNSWORTH, b. 26 Feb. 1817.
v. MARY MIRANDA, b. 24 Oct. 1818; d. 19 Jan. 1854; m. (first wife) 5 Feb. 1835, Alvin, son of Allen and Lorainie (Bromley) Benson, b. at Danby, Vt., 8 July, 1809; res. at Gladbrook and Badger Hill, Ia.

Children of Alvin and Mary M. (Danforth) Benson:

1. *Laura Jane Benson*, b. at Byron, N. Y., 16 Feb. 1839; m. Granville Cuddebach, son of Samuel and Bethiah (Cuddebach) Westcott, b. at Tioga, N. Y., 6 June, 1832; res. Gladbrook, Ia.
2. *Wesley J. Benson*, b. 9 June, 1841; m. Jeannette Noble.

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3. *Rev. Geo. Wm. Benson*, b. 23 Jan. 1844; m. Permelia Pond. Res. Hudson, Ia.
4. *Charles Allen Benson*, b. 4 May, 1847; m. Louise Breithaupt.
5. *Lovina Aurelia Benson*, b. at Farmington, Wis., 9 July, 1849; m. Melvin Cole.

253.

JONATHAN[7] (*William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Windsor or Berkshire, Vt., 13 May, 1802; died 17 April, 1880; farmer and Methodist preacher; married 20 Jan. 1825, Sally McAllister, born 25 Jan. 1805, died 11 May, 1880.

Children:

i. JONATHAN,[8] b. 31 Oct. 1825; d. 28 July, 1853.
435. ii. WILLIAM, b. 29 Aug. 1827.
iii. WARREN, b. 17 May, 1829; d. 19 April, 1880.
iv. LUCETTE L., b. 14 July, 1831; m. 20 Nov. 1856, Thomas G. Jenkins; he d. 9 Sept. 1872.
v. ELMINA, b. in Jan. and d. in July, 1835.
vi. RIEDE R., b. 2 March, 1837; d. 25 Aug. 1862.
436. vii. QUINCY A., b. 19 Feb. 1841.
viii. SARAH D., b. 10 April, 1844; m. 20 Oct. 1869, Harvey J. Holden, of Sheboygan Falls, Wis. He d. 11 Jan. 1879.
ix. SUSAN L., b. 13 April, 1847.
x. BETSEY M., b. 27 April, 1849; m. 2 June, 1875, Labina Holden (Sheboygan Falls, Wis.).

254.

ISAAC EMERY, M.D.[7] (*Isaac*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 24 Jan. 1793; died 14 March, 1828; married first, Susan Walcott, of Pomfret, Vt. He married second, Celia Jones.

Children:

i. BETSEY MARIA,[8] m. Edward Sabine; d. in Chester. Ch.: Edward, Abby and William Sabine.
ii. EDWARD BAKER, M.D., unm., died at Bloomington, Ill.

255.

HON. JOSEPH BAKER[7] (*Isaac*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Barnard, Vt., 6 Nov. 1795; died 16 Nov. 1877; married 17 Oct. 1816, Lavinia, daughter of Benjamin and Susanna Eastman, born in 1795, died 12 Oct. 1875, "beloved by all who knew her, and the idol of her children." He was Judge of Probate for Windsor co., and member of the State Legis-

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Mr. Albert Haller Danforth.

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lature. In 1851 removed to Rock Island, Ill., and was county judge till 1866. Returning to Vermont, he was again much in public office, greatly respected and trusted.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH MINA,[8] b. 11 Sept. 1817; d. 18 Dec. 1854; m. 11 May, 1850, Luther Norman Chaney, hardware dealer, b. in Barnard, 5 Oct. 1818; of Ogdensburg. Ch.: Elizabeth (Lillie) Chaney, b. 4 March, 1851; d. 19 Feb. 1858.

437. ii. JOSEPH BAKER, b. 31 Aug. 1819.

438. iii. CHARLES EASTMAN, b. 11 July, 1824.

439. iv. WILLIAM CULLEN, b. 9 Feb. 1828.

## 256.

ALBERT HALLER[7] (*Isaac,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Barnard, Vt., 2 March, 1808; died at Chicago, Ill., 9 Aug. 1891; married first, in 1831, Elvira Bosworth, born 15 Feb. 1810, died 6 Oct. 1843. He married second, Sarah Dow, of Montpelier, Vt., who died 21 March, 1877. He resided at Barnard, Vt.. till 1847, when he removed to Claremont, N. H.; later to Chicago, Ill. He was a man of attractive qualities, genial and kindly. He took a special interest in family genealogy, and corresponded widely with reference to it. He lived to advanced age and died respected and beloved. He was buried at Barnard, Vt., near his brothers and sisters.

Children:

440. i. ISAAC NEWTON,[8] b. 5 Nov. 1835.

441. ii. CHARLES BOSWORTH, b. 25 Dec. 1839.

iii. ELVIRA BOSWORTH, b. 7 July, 1846; d. in Chicago, 19 Oct. 1886; m. 13 June, 1877, John Lockwood Skelton of Chicago, Ill., sec. of Fireman's Insurance Co. She was an active teacher in the Centenary M. E. church; her life every way "attractive and beautiful."

## 256*a*.

SAMUEL PARKMAN M.D[7] (*Isaac,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Barnard, 12 Dec. 1810; died at Royalton, 19 Oct. 1865; "an eminent physician of Barnard and Royalton, Vt." [Hazen.] He married first, 27 March, 1834, Elizabeth Ann Burke, dau. of Gen. Joseph Burke of Woodstock, Vt. (Another states, dan. of Solomon Wait Burke.) She died 16 March, 1849. He married second, in Barnard, in Dec. 1849, Abby Taylor Bancroft; she resides in Royalton, Vt.

Children:

441*a*. i. SAMUEL PARKMAN,[8] b. 26 Feb. 1838.

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ii. FREDERICK WAIT, b. 22 Aug. 1843; student at Dartmouth College; d. 2 June, 1862.

iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. at Barnard, 25 Sept. 1845; m. in Royalton, 14 April, 1874, Lyman F. Hayes; res. Bellows Falls.

Children of Lyman F. and Mary E. (Danforth) Hayes:

1. *Gertrude Simpson Hayes*, b. 11 Feb. 1878.
2. *William Danforth Hayes*, b. 11 July, 1884.

iv. REV. WILLIAM BURKE, b. at Barnard, 21 Feb. 1849; d. in Gilead, Conn., 4 July, 1875; m. in Portland, Ct., 23 June, 1874. No children. His widow resides in Glastonbury, Ct.

## 257.

ISAAC W.[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born [in 1806?]; d. in 1846; married 10 Jan. 1837, Julia D. Green of Barnard, Vt.

Children:

442. i. ALBERT HALLER,[8] b. in 1839.
443. ii. WILLIAM H., b. about 1842.
iii. FRANCIS L., d. unm.
iv. SOPHRONIA, d. unm.
v. AUGUSTA, b. in Barnard; m. H. P. Witherell, son of Stephen B. and Sarah G. W.
vi. EMMA JANE, d. unm.

## 258.

HOSLEY[7] (*Jonathan*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 21 Nov. 1810; died in Pomfret, Vt., 9 April, 1845; married 27 Jan. 1834, Sarah Wood, daughter of Darius and Achsa (Crowell) Wood, of Barnard, Vt. (Sarah Wood Danforth married second, John Miller, and had two children, one of whom died at 6 years of age; the other, Edward Miller, has been postmaster at E. Barnard).

Children:

i. ELBRIDGE GERRY,[8] b. 9 Oct. 1835; d. at Pomfret, 18 Aug. 1838.
ii. EDGAR LABAN, b. 29 Aug. 1837; d. at Pomfret, 25 March, 1839.
iii. HENRY RICHARDSON, b. 4 April, 1840; d. 13 Dec. 1859.
444. iv. LORRISTON FRANCIS, b. 19 April, 1843.

## 259.

ARO[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 3 Feb. 1804; died in Norwalk, O., 1 July, 1891; married 22 Jan. 1828, Lucy Taft; she died in Bronson, O., 13 Sept. 1887, aged 81 years, 8 months and 29 days.

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Served an apprenticeship at carpenter's trade in Barnard, but before attaining majority, with knapsack and staff walked thence to New York City, where he worked a few months, and then proceeded on foot, by way of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, to Ohio. Averaging 30 miles a day, in less than a month he reached the house of his uncle, Robert Southgate, in Peru, Ohio, in the autumn of 1824. Here he worked at his trade, and after two years returned to Vermont, intending to take his widowed mother and her family to Ohio for their future home. But his sister Euphemia soon after died, and a month later his mother also died, and in the autumn of 1827 he returned alone to Ohio. In Jan. 1828, he married. He continued successfully the builder's useful labors. He could point to a hundred buildings in and near the flourishing town of Peru as evidences of his skill and industry.

On the 22d day of January, 1878, the venerable couple celebrated their golden wedding at the place where fifty years before their wedded life began. Their eldest grandchild was married on the same occasion, the aged couple acting as bridesman and bridesmaid to the youthful pair.

Children:

445. i. ROBERT SOUTHGATE,[8] b. 22 Oct. 1828.
ii. SEYMOUR.
446. iii. HORACE PERRY, b. 17 May, 1833.
iv. LAVINIA, b. 7 Oct. 1834; d. 4 Sept. 1858.
v. MARIA JOANNA, b. 1 Feb. 1837; m. 8 March, 1860, Horatio P. Nelson, of Bronson, O.; he d. 15 May, 1897, æ. 67 years; she d. 26 May, 1897.

Children of Horatio P. and Maria J. (Danforth) Nelson:

1. *Charles Danforth Nelson*, b. 13 Aug. 1866; M.D. Harv. 1891; res. Greeley, Colo., and Pomona, Cal.; d. 28 Nov. 1901, æ. 34; m. in Boston 30 Sept. 1891, Lizzie Sanborn, who survives him, and resides in New Dorchester (Boston), Mass. Children: (1) Ira Sanborn Nelson, b. 29 Dec. 1894; (2) Aro Danforth Nelson, b. Aug. 1898.
2. *Mary Lucy Nelson*, b. 19 April, 1870.

vi. ISAAC CARMI.
vii. EFFIE, b. 16 Nov. 1843; resides at Norwalk, O. Was educated at Norwalk Academy, Oberlin College and the Illinois State Normal School, and one year in Germany. Also took the Chautauqua Sci. and Lit. Course. Taught in schools of various grades, notably in Miami Valley Coll., special department the German language. Since her parents' death she has spent much time in travel, American and foreign; is much occupied with Sunday School teaching, temperance work and similar interests.

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viii. JULIA ALSINA, d. in infancy.

ix. THOMAS CLAYTON, b. 18 Jan. 1846; d. 1 Sept. 1865, in Buffalo, returning from service in the army.

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ISAAC CARMI[7] (*Samuel*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Calais, Vt., 29 Aug. 1807; died 8 Sept. 1855, at Butler, Indiana; removed from Barnard, Vt., with brother and sister, to the "Western Reserve." Resided at Peru, O. Married first, 6 Jan. 1840, Eleanor Eaton, of Eatonville, N. Y., died 30 Nov. 1840. He married second, 6 Jan. 1842, Emma Proctor. She married second, Luther Palmer, of San Diego, Cal.

Children:

i. ELEANOR EATON,[8] b. 3 Nov. 1840; m. 28 Feb. 1867, Addison Lawrence; res. Peru, Huron co., O.

Children of Addison and Eleanor E. (Danforth) Lawrence:

1. *Kirke Eaton Lawrence.*
2. *George Richardson Lawrence.*

ii. ELIZABETH MINA, b. 8 Jan. 1843; m. (1) 9 Oct. 1861, Francis A. Bangs. She m. (2) 19 April, 1880, J. L. Nugent; res. Oceanside, Cal.

Children of Francis A. and Elizabeth M. (Danforth) Bangs:

1. *Belle Bangs*, b. in Clyde, O., 16 Feb. 1863.
2. *Frederick Bangs*, b. in Norwalk, O., 13 Nov. 1865.
3. *Elizabeth Bangs*, b. in June, 1867.
4. *Eleanor Bangs*, b. in Toledo, 31 Dec. 1870.
5. *William Francis Bangs*, b. in Toledo, 19 Aug. 1874.

Children of J. L. and Elizabeth M. (Danforth) Nugent:

1. *Joseph Nugent*, } b. 29 May, 1881.
2. *Mary Nugent*, }
3. *Effie Danforth Nugent*, b. in Feb. 1883.

iii. EDWARD CARMI, b. 15 Aug. 1846; res. Toledo, O., druggist; m. 25 June, 1888, Frank A. ——. Child: Edward A., b. 1 Jan. 1892.

447. iv. ALBERT PARKMAN, b. 1 Aug. 1852; d. 13 May, 1892; m.; was a telegraph operator at Detroit.

v. ARO MARCUS, b. 6 Oct. 1854; d. at Yuma, 23 Aug. 1891. Traveling agent for Grant Powder Co., San Francisco. Res. San Diego, Cal.

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JAMES ALLEN[8] (*Allen*,[7] *Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 19 Sept. 1819; died 2 May, 1863; married 1 Nov. 1842, Sarah Taylor, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Turner) Jackson, born in Plymouth, 1 Oct. 1821, died 26 Feb. 1888.

When a young man he was connected with a New York book concern, occupied there and in England; later, cashier of a bank in Wareham; then treasurer of mills at Plymouth; and finally editor and publisher of the Old Colony Memorial at that place.

Children:

i. SARAH ELIZABETH,[9] b. in Wareham, 26 Oct. 1843; resides in Plymouth.

ii. ALLEN, b. in Plymouth, 5 Jan. 1846; H. U. 1866; resides in Boston; Nov. 14, 1874, became bursar of Harvard University; from June 13, 1888, to Feb. 11, 1898, deputy treasurer, and since that time comptroller. He m. 21 Oct. 1899, in Putnam, Conn., Mabel Irene, daughter of Frederick and Ann Dorothea (Goodwin) Walsh, b. in Brantford, Ontario, 30 Nov. 1859.

### 262.

WILLIAM SEAVER[8] (*Allen*,[7] *Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Jan. 1832; died 19 June, 1901; married 13 April, 1858, Abigail Dorothy Pitman Mace, daughter of Rev. J. M. Mace of Colebrook, Conn., born 1 July, 1837.

Mr. Danforth was the son of the late Allen Danforth, formerly treasurer of the Plymouth Savings Bank, and was born in Plymouth. He was educated at the public schools in that town, Howard Seminary in Bridgewater, and the Lawrence Scientific School in Cambridge. After leaving school he accepted the position of sec-

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retary of the Old Colony Insurance Co., and later entered the Plymouth Savings Bank as clerk under his father. In the spring of 1862 was appointed registrar of Plymouth County by the late Governor, John A. Andrew; has been re-elected every three years to this office, thus serving far longer than any other registrar in this State. He has been one of the most respected and best-liked men in the community in which he lived, and far beyond its confines. He always had at heart the welfare of the town and State, and did much to promote the interests of good citizenship, for which he stood as a notable example. Especially well versed in Pilgrim history, Mr. Danforth was constantly sought out by members of various historical and patriotic societies when they visited Plymouth in search of special information, upon which he usually was able to enlighten them.

He belonged to more organizations than do most men, was president of the Plymouth Savings Bank and Gas Light Company. He was secretary of the Pilgrim Society, vice-president of the Old Colony Historical Society of Taunton, etc., and also belonged to many secret organizations. Mr. Danforth was a strong abolitionist, and after the Civil War did much good work in an evening school at Plymouth, teaching slaves who had been given their freedom. He was a member of the First Church (Unitarian) of Plymouth, and throughout his life, which was a beautiful lesson to younger people, his benevolence and kindness to others and his many sterling qualities of character had endeared him to the whole community. [*Local Journal.*]

Child:

449. WILLIAM HENRY,[9] M.D., b. 21 Dec. 1860; resides in Plymouth.

263.

EPHRAIM SOUTHWORTH[8] (*George*,[7] *Asa*,[6] *James*,[5] *James*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 27 May, 1840; res. at Cranston, R. I.; married first, 1 Jan. 1865, Lina M. Sweet, who died 29 Oct. 1870. He married second, 17 April, 1876, Mary C. Harris, born 9 Nov. 1851. She resides (1901) at Providence, R. I.

Children:

i. ANN L.,[9] b. and d. in 1876.
ii. GEORGE ALLEN, b. 5 June, 1878.
iii. HARRIS HALL, b. 12 Sept. 1881.

265.

THOMAS SHEPARD[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 15 Oct. 1810; married 30

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April, 1837, Mary Jane Glidden, dau. of Nath. and Lydia (Kennison) Glidden, of Parsonsfield, Me. He was a carpenter and builder at Roxbury.

Children:

i. JANE LOUISA,[9] b. 2 Oct. 1839; m. 1 June, 1863, James W. Seward, b. in Boston 1839, son of Joshua and Eliza; res. California.

Child of James W. and Jane L. (Danforth) Seward:

*Caroline E. Seward*, b. 27 May, 1864; m. Edgar Boutelle.

ii. EDWARD SHEPARD, b. 13 May, 1841; d. 17 Sept. 1862; he was killed at Antietam; 13th Regt. Mass. Vols.

450. iii. GEORGE HENRY, b. 15 Aug. 1844.

451. iv. FRANCIS EUGENE, b. 23 Feb. 1851.

v. CHARLES AUSTIN, b. 26 Oct. 1858; artist, 896 Broadway, New York.

## 267.

MINOT LEONARD[8] (*Royal William*,[7] *John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Raynham, 9 Aug. 1832; married 12 Oct. 1854, Lydia Dunn, dau. of Nathaniel and Lydia Ann (Hight) Dunn, of Hollis, Me., born 6 April, 1835.

Children:

i. CAROLINE CHASE,[9] b. 11 July, 1855; d. 28 Oct. 1858.

ii. CHARLES EDWARD, b. 6 Aug. 1858; m. Zeruiah Brownell, dau. of Geo. F. and Nancy (Macomber) Brownell, b. in 1861. Child, Minot Harold,[10] b. at Brockton, 19 April, 1882.

iii. WILLIAM CHESTER, b. 8 Feb. 1861; d. 9 Oct. 1867.

iv. HENRY DUNN, b. 7 Dec. 1865; d. 14 Aug. 1867.

## 268.

DANIEL BRADFORD[8] (*Royal William*,[7] *John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*)[1], born at Raynham, 29 Sept. 1837; married first, 7 Aug. 1858, Marion B. Leonard, born in Norton, died in 1866. He married second, in 1869, Josephine S. Johnson, of Philadelphia. Residence, Lexington.

Children:

452. i. VIRGIL CLYDE,[9] b. 2 March, 1859; has traveled extensively; resides in Lexington.

453. ii. EMBERT WILMARTH, b. 7 Dec. 1863.

iii. MARY JANET, b. in Philadelphia, 7 April, 1870; m. 3 Feb. 1890, Harrison Woodward Macomber, son of James Brown and Sarah A. T. (Mann) Macomber, b. 3 Feb. 1868. She d. 3 June, 1896, after a long and painful illness. She was highly accomplished, possessing a rare soprano voice and exceptional musical talent.

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During the latter part of her life Mr. and Mrs. Macomber lived at their beautiful place in Lexington. She had a great many warm friends, and was beloved by all that knew her.

269.

HENRY GILMORE[8] (*Royal William,*[7] *John,*[6] *John,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Raynham, 6 Feb. 1843; shoe mfr. and farmer. Has traveled extensively in Europe, introducing sewing machines for making shoes. Married 1 Jan. 1869, Mary Janet White, dau. of Earle Carlo and Elizabeth (Sweet) White, of Norton, born 3 Sept. 1847. Res. East Norton; bookkeeper for N. A. Creamery and Supply Co., Boston.

Children:

i. EVA ROLLINS,[9] b. 22 Jan. 1872; 5 Sept. 1894, Charles Francis Holmes, of Norton; res. Mansfield.
   Children:
   1. *Janet Danforth Holmes*, b. 26 Oct. 1897.
   2. *Elizabeth Frances Holmes*, b. 23 Oct. 1900.

ii. RHODA ELIZABETH, b. 26 July, 1874.
iii. HARRIET WHITE, b. 6 July, 1882.
iv. EARLE HENRY, b. 27 Oct. 1887.

270.

CHARLES JARVIS[8] (*Jarvis,*[7] *William,*[6] *Oliver,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Taunton, 11 Aug. 1825, educated at Bristol Academy, came to Boston in 1842, was engaged with A. & G. A. Kendall & Co., and Jones, Hill & Co.; became partner successively in the firms of Hill, Burrage & Co., Hill, Danforth & Co., and Danforth, Clark & Co.; had an extensive dry-goods trade. Was prominent for twenty-five years in the Masonic order and advanced to be Grand Master of the Grand Council of Massachusetts.

With highly cultivated musical taste he was a member of several choirs, and was during several years chairman of the Music Committee of the First Religious Society of Roxbury, the old church of the renowned John Eliot, of Samuel Danforth and of the late Dr. George Putnam.

"In his extended business connections, by his affability, generosity and unquestioned integrity he won the confidence and respect of all who knew him . . . . . He died without an enemy." He died 17 May, 1877.

He married 9 Jan. 1851, Sarah Elizabeth, daughter of Daniel and Harriet Wilson Robbins, of Boston, born 28 Dec. 1826, died 30 Jan. 1885.

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Children:

i. LOUISA WILSON,[9] b. 5 Dec. 1851; m. 30 Oct. 1879, S. Everett Tinkham, of Taunton, Civil Engineer, in the service of the city of Boston.
   Children: Charles Samuel Tinkham, b. 1 Dec. 1880; a dau. b. 21 July, 1883.
ii. CHARLES EDWARD, b. 29 Jan. 1858; d. 29 Nov. 1866.
iii. FRANCIS CHRISTIAN, b. 6 March, 1861; d. 29 March, 1879.
iv. ALFRED WILLIAMS, b. 15 Sept. 1862.
v. SUSAN WILLIAMS, b. 20 April, 1864.

271.

HENRY RICHMOND[8] (*Jarvis*,[7] *William*,[6] *Oliver*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Taunton, 28 Sept. 1828; died 23 May, 1900; educated at the Bristol Academy. On coming to Boston with his father in 1842, was for a short time at the Boylston School. Entered the service of Dutton & Wentworth in 1843, in the printing office of the Boston Evening Transcript; continued under the successive proprietors Henry W. Dutton & Son and Boston Transcript Co., an assistant in that model office. He rendered useful aid in gathering materials for this work. He married 23 Oct. 1853, Georgianna Brackett, daughter of Richard and Annet (Green) Brackett of Boston, born in Taunton, June 20, 1830. Resided at Chelsea.

Children:

454. i. EUGENE HENRY,[9] b. 10 Dec. 1854.
ii. WILLIAM BRACKETT, b. 31 March, 1857; newsdealer.
iii. EDWARD WILLIAMS, b. 9 Dec. 1862; d. 14 June, 1864.
iv. HERBERT JARVIS, b. 18 March, 1867; clerk in a hardware store.

272.

GEORGE[8] (*Jarvis*,[7] *William*,[6] *Oliver*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 16 Sept. 1846; married Margaret E., daughter of Daniel and Mary Manning, born in Lewiston, Me., in 1846.

273.

WALTER RALEIGH[8] (*Charles*,[7] *Walter Raleigh*,[6] *Job*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 7 April, 1839; married in Sept. 1860, Ann Whitehead, of Lebanon, Ohio. Resided at Muse's Bottom, Jackson co., West Va. Died before 1902.

Children:

i. CLAUDELINE MCCLENNAN,[9] b. 9 July, 1861; d. 12 July, 1862.
ii. CHARLES NATHAN, b. 23 July, 1864; d. 25 Oct. 1864.

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iii. WALTER RALEIGH, b. 31 Oct. 1866; d. 10 Sept. 1875.
iv. TIMOTHY NELSON, b. 1 Sept. 1868.
v. ROBERT AMBROSE, b. 4 Oct. 1871.
vi. CLARE CECIL, b. 22 May, 1875.
vii. CRAWFORD CARTER, b. in 1878.
viii. SALLY.

274.

CHARLES JAMES[8] (*Charles,*[7] *Walter Raleigh,*[6] *Job,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 28 Nov. 1843; married in 1875, Annette Dandson, of Sank co., Wis. Resided at Northville, Spink co., Dak.

Child:

CLAUDE LESLIE,[9] b. 28 Sept. 1876.

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ANDALEEN MARCINEL[8] (*Charles,*[7] *Walter Raleigh,*[6] *Job,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 26 Dec. 1848; married 21 April, 1881, Abby A. Wilmarth, of Providence, R. I.

Child:

CHARLES WILLIAM,[9] b. 17 May, 1882.

275.

GEORGE WASHINGTON[8] (*Henry T*,[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Elkanah,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hoosic, N. Y., 13 Dec. 1838; married 13 Dec. 1861, Agnes Ingles.

Children:

i. MINNIE AGNES,[9] b. 16 April, 1863; m. 25 Nov. 1888, G. E. Lewis.
   Children of G. E. and Minnie A. (Danforth) Lewis:
   1. *Edwin W. Lewis*, b. 8 Oct. 1889.
   2. *Charlotte P. Lewis*, b. 8 Jan. 1891.
   3. *Della Lewis*, b. 14 Nov. 1892.
ii. STELLA ADELINE, b. 7 July, 1868.
iii. DAISY BLANCHE, b. 17 Feb. 1870; m. 22 Oct. 1895, William Auble.
455. iv. JAMES HENRY, b. 20 Sept. 1872.
v. ELIJAH, b. 24 April, 1880.
vi. EDWIN, b. 26 Sept. 1885.

276.

WILLIAM HENRY[8] (*Henry T.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Elkanah,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 29 Nov. 1839; died 2 Aug.

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1891; farmer; married 8 Nov. 1870, Sarah Maria Baker, of Missouri, born 10 March, 1848. Resided at 1618 Washington Ave., Parsons, Labette co., Kan.

Children:

i. GUY LEO,[9] b. 27 March, 1872.
ii. MOLLY MAUD, b. 28 Aug. 1873; m. Arthur Triplet; 1 child.
iii. ETHEL BLISS, b. 5 May, 1880.
iv. MABEL S., b. 1 July, 1884.

277.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[8] (*Henry T.*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 13 Feb. 1843; married 12 June, 1867, Mary Frances Baker, of Mead co., Ky., daughter of John W. and Harriet (Rhea) Baker, born 1 May, 1846. Resided at Louisiana, Pike co., Mo. Carpenter; dealer in coal and produce, Chetopa, Labette co., Kansas. He died in March, 1899.

Children:

456. i. EUGENE GUSTAVE,[9] b. in Louisiana, 17 March, 1868.
ii. GORDON EARL, b. 9 Aug, 1873.
iii. EDSON MORTON, b. 22 March, 1878.
iv. DELBERT, b. 8 Aug. 1882; d. at Chetopa, Kan., 1 March, 1885.

278.

DANIEL CLARK[8] (*Henry Tisdale*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hoosick Falls, 12 Aug. 1849. Resided at Hungerford, Mich. He married 23 May, 1874, Hannah Maria, daughter of Andrew Jackson and Almira (Vangilder) Cole, of Onondaga co., N. Y.

Children:

i. CLARK ALBERTI,[9] b. at Osceola, Fond du Lac, Wis., 6 May, 1875.
ii. BERT LEROY, b. in Big Rapids, Mich., 27 July, 1877.
iii. EARL HOWARD, b. in Big Rapids, Mich, 21 Sept. 1879.
iv. EDNA ELMA, b. in Norwich, Mich., 20 March, 1886.
v. WILLIS HERBERT, b. in Norwich, Mich., 10 Sept. 1889.
vi. CLYDE ELLIS, b. 3 Jan. 1892.

279.

CHARLES LEWIS[8] (*Lewis*,[7] *James*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Shumla, N. Y., 7 Feb. 1840; married in Sinclairville, 2 July, 1860, Harriet Ovanda George, daughter of Rev. Isaac and Mary (Brewer) George, born in Independence, 31 July, 1842; died at Danforth, 12 Sept. 1884.

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Children:

i. CARRIE LOUISE,[9] b. 14 Oct. 1862; m. at Danforth, 6 Oct. 1885, Dayton A. Weeks; res. Lawrence, Dak.

Children of Dayton A. and Carrie L. (Danforth) Weeks:

1. *Ethel Weeks*, b. 8 Aug. 1887.
2. *Charles Dayton Weeks*, b. in 1891.

457. ii. J. GEORGE, b. 1 Sept. 1865.
458. iii. LEWIS EVERETT, b. 10 Dec. 1868.
iv. MARY A., b. 18 Jan. 1873; res. at Danforth.

## 280.

CHARLES AMBROSE[8] (*Alanson*,[7] *Henry*,[6] *Elkanah*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Chautauqua co., N. Y., 6 Nov. 1842; died 16 April, 1892; married 22 March, 1862, Martha A., daughter of Leonard and Abigail R. (Griffin) Cheney, born at Brandon, Vt., 15 Sept. 1845. Resided at Wedge's Prairie in Waupun, Wis. (on her father's farm), till 1873; then removed to Brandon, Wis., then to Fond du Lac, where he died.

Child:

MINNIE A.,[9] b. 12 Dec. 1865; m. Charles W., son of Matthew and Rachel (Eckles) Hargraves, b. in Ripon, Wis., May 2, 1862. Largely interested in sheep-raising. Child: Lloyd Danforth Hargraves, b. 4 Jan. 1895.

## 281.

HENRY TALLMAN[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rocky Hill, Conn., 1 June, 1828; married in New York City, 1 June, 1857, Evelyn Augusta Snyder, born 18 Nov. 1839.

Children:

i. MARY WILLIAMS,[9] b. 8 March, 1858; m. 29 Jan. 1880, at Brooklyn, Herbert C. Smith.
ii. HENRIETTE, b. 14 June, 1860; m. 16 June, 1880, Charles Frasia.
iii. THOMAS SNYDER, b. 22 June, 1874.

## 282.

WALTER WILLIAMS[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 4 April, 1835; died at Branford, Conn., 21 July, 1886; iron founder, Branford; married 19 June, 1856, Frances Eliza, daughter of Samuel and Betsey (Blackstone) Averill, born in Branford, 7 Nov. 1835.

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Children:

i. MARY JANE,[9] b. in Branford, 4 May, 1857; m. 24 Dec. 1874, Albert Baldwin, son of William and Amelia A. (Shelby) Baldwin, b. 10 March, 1849, in Madison, Conn.

Children of Albert and Mary J. (Danforth) Baldwin:

1. *Rufus Irabell Baldwin*, b. in Branford, 15 June, 1875.
2. *Arthur Snow Baldwin*, b. in Branford, 3 March, 1877.

ii. ELIZABETH AVERILL, b. 8 May, 1860.
iii. SAMUEL BLACKSTONE, b. 1 May, 1862; d. 9 Aug. 1862.
iv. FLORENCE BULKLEY, b. 9 May, 1863.
v. SUSAN ROBBINS, b. 1 Aug. 1865.
vi. THOMAS LAWRENCE, b. 18 May, 1867.
vii. HENRY TALLMAN, b. 21 July, 1869.
viii. JOSEPHINE BARNES, b. 3 Oct. 1871.
ix. WALTER WILLIAMS, b. 16 Nov. 1873.
x. FRANCES VIRGINIA, b. 29 April, 1875.
xi. REGINALD STANDISH, b. 26 Aug. 1878.

284.

JOHN BUCHANAN[8] (*Joseph*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Richmond, 12 Feb. 1816; died 2 July, 1875; educated a physician, but never practised. Captain of a voluntary military organization; during the civil war became colonel of 1st Va. Regt.; was afterward secretary of Mutual Life Insurance Co. Compiled notes of family genealogy, to which the present work is largely indebted. He married first, in Newark, N. J., 5 Oct. 1836, Anna Maria Delaplaine, daughter of Nicholas and Mary (Andros) Delaplaine, of Newark, N. J., born in N. Y. City, 25 March, 1813; died 11 April, 1856. He married second, 25 May, 1858, Margaret Ann, daughter of William A. and Elizabeth (Andrews) Rowlet, of Richmond, Va., born 2 Sept. 1826.

Children:

i. MARY FRANCES,[9] b. 20 July, 1837.
459. ii. HENRY DELAPLAINE, b. 7 Oct. 1840.
iii. JOHN BUCHANAN, b. 9 Sept. 1842; d. 21 Aug. 1863.
iv. CLARENCE FREDERICK, b. 25 Dec. 1848.
v. ANNA MARIA, b. 12 Aug. 1850.
vi. ELEANOR YOUNG, b. 24 Sept. 1859; d. 7 Sept. 1860.
vii. ELIZABETH ANDRUS, b. 15 June, 1861: d. 8 Sept. 1861.
viii. WILLIAM SAVAGE, b. Sept. 1862.
ix. JAMES LAYNE, b. 7 May, 1864; d. 24 July. 1864.

285.

FREDERICK WILLIAM RIVES[8] (*Joseph*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 21 June, 1823;

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died in Prince George co., Va., 18 April, 1865; married in Petersburg, Va., 10 April, 1850, Emily Maria Temple.

Children:

i. JOSEPH WILLIAMSON,[9] b. 16 July, 1853.
ii. FREDERICK.
iii. EMILY LINDA, d. in 1864.

286.

EDWARD MOSELEY[8] (*Edward John*,[7] *Edward*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in N. Y., 23 Jan. 1828; died 4 Aug. 1888, at Olean, N. Y. Res. Olean, N. Y. Educated at Caldwell, N. J., and Jersey City. Cultivated farm in Summit, Wis., 1848 to 1865. Then engaged in lumber and milling business in Oshkosh in 1875, where he was one of the com. for building Insane Asylum. Took a farm in Madison, N. J., and there was chairman of board of supervisors. In 1880 removed to Olean, Vt. He married in Oconomowac, Wis., 12 Nov. 1851, Nancy Anna, dau. of Geo. Chas. and Reliance Hathaway (Terry) Harshaw, born in Argyle, N. Y., 16 April, 1829.

Children:

460. i. EDWARD HARSHAW,[9] b. in Summit, Wis., 4 Aug. 1852; m. in 1875, Ella Bishop; had two sons.
ii. GEORGE DELAPLAINE, b. 11 March, 1854; d. 30 Oct. 1854.
iii. ANNA RELIANCE, b. 11 Dec. 1856, in Summit, Wis.
iv. MARY HENRIETTA, b. 28 Nov. 1858.
v. ELIZA CAROLINE, b. 14 May, 1861.
vi. JULIA LUCINDA, b. in Oshkosh, 2 Aug. 1866; educated at home schools and at Morristown, N. J. and Boston, Mass.; m. 31 Dec. 1891, John Charles, son of Louis and Caroline Linneman, b. at Shippensville, Pa., 26 Aug. 1858. Resides at Lima, O.

Children:

1. *John Charles Linneman.*
2. *Louis Linneman.*
3. *Caroline Linneman.*

287.

NICHOLAS DELAPLAINE[8] (*Edward John*,[7] *Edward*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 27 Feb. 1831; died 23 Feb. 1858; married in 1855, Mary M., daughter of Rev. Dr. Alexander W. McClure, of Malden, Mass. and Jersey City; she married second, Samuel H. Emery, of Concord.

Child:

ALEXANDER MCCLURE,[9] died in 1858.

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GEORGE HENRY[8] (*Edward John,*[7] *Edward,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jersey City, 11 Oct. 1834; died at Madison, N. J., 9 Sept. 1886; married at Jersey City, 13 June, 1867, Emeline Young Jenkins, daughter of William Bunker (1808–1845) and Emeline Jenkins (1812–1883), born 15 June, 1843. Resided at 106 West 58th St., N. Y. City. He learned in early life the art of making bank notes, under his father, who was one of the originators of the first American Bank Note Co. In 1859 started for himself and originated with other capitalists the National Bank Note Co. He was chairman of building committee of their new building in New Church St.; director of Tradesman's Bank, etc. Was associated with Governor Randolph of N. J. and others in organizing the Washington Association of Morristown, N. J.

Children:

460*a*. i. GEORGE HENRY,[9] b. 16 July, 1868.

ii. EMELINE JENKINS, b. 23 Aug. 1870; m. 25 May, 1898, Louis Morris, son of Theodore Burr and Caroline Margaret (Morris) Starr, b. at Tenafly, N. J., 12 Aug. 1868; in jewelry business with his father in New York city.

Children of Louis M. and Emeline J. (Danforth) Starr:

1. *Caroline Margaret Starr*, b. 15 May, 1899.
2. *Beatrice Starr*, b. 9 Feb. 1901.

iii. HENRIETTA DELAPLAINE, b. 10 Aug. 1872; m. 18 April, 1900, Howard White Starr, second son of Theodore B., above mentioned, b. in Brooklyn, N. Y., 16 Feb. 1870; grad. Yale 1895; Stevens Inst. 1900; a mechanical engineer in street railway dept. of Gen. Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

iv. ISABEL, b. 4 Feb. 1877.

v. FRANCIS JENKINS, b. 17 July, 1878.

vi. NICHOLAS, b. 24 Jan. 1883.

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REV. JAMES ROMEYN[8] (*Edward John,*[7] *Edward,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Jersey City, 8 Aug. 1839; grad. Beloit College and Chicago Theol. Seminary; D.D. Beloit Coll. 1886; after travel in Europe occupied pulpits in Lynn and Newtonville, Mass., and was settled over Central Cong. Church, Philadelphia; ill health compelled him to resign in 1889. Was afterward U. S. Consul in Liege, Belgium, and in active business, hoping to regain health and resume his profession.

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He was principal of The Walton-Wellesley School for Girls in Philadelphia in 1895. In 1898 he was installed pastor of the Congregational church of Westfield, N. J. He married 5 July, 1867, Alice Haven, daughter of Prof. Joseph and Mary (Emerson*) Haven, of Chicago, born in Brookline, Mass., 19 Nov. 1847. He resides at Westfield, N. J., in 1902.

Children:

461. i. JAMES ROMEYN,[9] b. in Woodstock, Ill., 7 July, 1868.
ii. ALICE, b. in Leipsic, Saxony, 29 April, 1871; d. in Philadelphia, 29 May, 1878.
iii. CAROLINE, b. in Lynn, 28 Sept. 1872; m. at Squirrel Island, Me., 2 Sept. 1897, Prof. Arthur M. Hyde, of Washburn College, Topeka, Kan. Child Henry Francis Hyde, b. July 31, d. Aug. 13, 1898.
iv. EDWARD JOSEPH, b. in Newtonville, 24 May, 1874; studied in Europe; was grad. Amherst Coll. 1897; was a student in Chicago Theol. Sem. and engaged in social settlement work; d. 1 Feb. 1898.
461*a*. v. RALPH EMERSON, b. 1 Oct. 1877.
vi. MARY, b. 30 Oct. 1882.

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CHARLES ALLEN[8] (*Jonathan*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*[2], *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hartford, Conn., 4 May, 1849; died in Frankfort, N. Y., 14 Dec. 1884; married 21 Oct. 1873, Anna Elizabeth Sage, born 20 Nov. 1852, in Bethlehem, Pa. Removed about 1872 to New Haven, Conn., where he was a civil engineer in the employ of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R.R.; removed in 1881 to Rochester, N.Y., and was with the N. Y. Central road. In 1883 removed to Olin, N. Y., and became resident engineer for West Shore & Buffalo R.R. in construction of shops; resided at the adjoining town of Frankfort till his death in the winter following. Was a very active christian worker, especially among R.R. men. The family returned to New Haven, whence they removed in 1898 to East Orange, N. J.

Children:

i. CHARLES WEBSTER,[9] b. 12 Aug. 1874; grad. Yale Sci. 1896; civil engineer with the American Bridge Co. of New York city.
ii. HAROLD BOND, b. 10 Dec. 1875; with American Arithmometer Co. of New York.
iii. MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. 7 May, 1878.
iv. CLARK MALCOLM, b. 26 Sept. 1882.

* A daughter of Prof. Ralph Emerson, formerly of Andover Theol. Sem.

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Col. JOHN[8] (*William*,[7] *Willam*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middletown, Conn., 19 May, 1816; died 20 Feb. 1886; married first, 3 Sept. 1838, in Kingsville, O., Mary Eliza Curtiss; she died in Owego, 14 Feb. 1858; married second, 11 April, 1860, Mary H. (Weaver) Wheeler, dau. of Henry Weaver of Ovid, N. Y., born 17 July, 1839; she survived him and married 14 June, 1890, John Gerry. He was a jeweler at New Haven, and Hartford, Conn., and in New York City. Capt. of Hartford Light Infantry; director in New York Temperance organization and one of the commissioners of the city for care of the poor. Went to California, arriving in San Francisco 30 June, 1849. Active in temperance work there. Removed to Ovid, N. Y., but after the death of his wife returned to N. Y. City. Was prominent in Sabbath School and church work. At the outbreak of the Rebellion, volunteered Oct. 1861; raised a company of volunteers; was promoted from grade to grade till he became Lieut. Col. of the 37th N. J. Regt. Infantry. Appointed inspector in N. Y. Custom House. Resided at Elizabeth, N. J.

Children:

i. ARTHUR CURTISS,[9] born in Hartford, 17 Aug. 1840; student at Hamilton and at Oberlin, preparing for the ministry; volunteered in April, 1861, was 1st Sergt. Co. C, 7th Regt. O. V. I.; killed in the battle of the Wilderness, Winchester, Va., 23 March, 1862.

ii. HOWARD BROWN, b. 29 Sept. 1842; d. 30 Aug. 1849.

462. iii. EDWARD WILLIAM, b. 5 May, 1844.

iv. ELLA CORNELIA, b. 29 April, 1846; married 18 April, 1871, Martin Henry Wilckens, b. in Franklin Park, N. J., 18 Feb. 1846.

Children of Martin H. and Ella C. (Danforth) Wilckens:

1. *Elizabeth Anna Wilckens*, b. 8 March, 1872.
2. *Ella Cornelia Wilckens*, b. 9 Aug. 1873; d. 1 June, 1875.
3. *Martin Henry Wilckens*, b. 3 March, 1875; d. 30 June, 1876.

463. v. JOHN HOWARD, b. 7 Nov. 1854.

vi. MARY ESTELLA, b. 1 March, 1861; d. 16 April, 1881; m. 15 June, 1880, Wm. H. Stackhouse.

vii. MINNIE, b. 11 Feb. 1866.

viii. FREDERICK HENRY, b. 5 Sept. 1876.

292.

FREDERICK LYMAN[8] (*Josiah*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Middletown, Conn., 17

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June, 1833; died at Buffalo, N. Y., 7 Sept. 1897; married 15 Sept. 1859, Grace Long, daughter of Daniel and Elida Yates (Long) Francis, born in Buffalo, 11 Jan. 1836. He went to Buffalo in 1854 and entered the establishment of Pratt & Co., of which he became in time the financial manager. Was cashier and one of the directors of the Bank of Attica from 1879 till 1895, when he was elected president. Was president of the Buffalo Creek R. R. Co., and of The Union Terminal Co. He had large navigation interests. For many years he was chairman of the trustees of the North Presbyterian church, to which, as to other benevolencies, he gave freely.

We are permitted to make extracts from a letter written by his pastor, Rev. Wm. S. Hubbell, to his former employer and later associate, Mr. Pratt:

"I well remember that soon after my coming to Buffalo you said to me, 'If you want any good advice about church matters or to know anything about people or measures in the North church, *go to* Danforth.' That was exactly true of him, and I put your advice in practice for fifteen years; . . . he was always ready to give *his* time, his money, his effort and his heart's affection. He had unusual capacity for the giving of sympathy and cheer. He was full of tact, knowing when to speak and when to refrain; had a vocabulary of well-chosen words and a very kind and gracious way of speaking. Besides, he abounded in good spirits and could be a delightful companion, a splendid person to travel with. Furthermore he was not ashamed of his religion or of putting it in practice wherever he was."

It has been said of him, "Few have possessed in greater degree the qualities which tend to make life successful and friends steadfast."

Children:

463*a*. i. FREDERICK WILLIAM,[9] b. 15 July, 1860.
464. ii. FRANK LOBDELL, b. 18 Aug. 1862.
464*a*. iii. WILLIAM EDGAR, b. 28 Sept. 1864.
iv. GRACE ELIDA, b. 4 Jan. 1876.

293.

RICHARD HUBBARD[8] (*Josiah*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Middletown, Ct., 5 Jan. 1840; res. at Buffalo. Assistant cashier in Manufacturers' and Traders' Bank; married 7 Dec. 1863, Kate Everdell Maas, daughter of Jacob and Sarah (Rowen) Maas, born in Philadelphia, 29 March, 1843.

Children:

i. KATE,[9] b. in Philadelphia, 8 Oct. 1865.
ii. RICHARD EUGENE, b. in Buffalo, 5 Oct. 1868.

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Mr. Frederick Lyman Danforth.

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iii. BERTHA, b. in Philadelphia, 27 Nov. 1870; m. 12 April, 1892, Charles H. Wright, son of Lafayette and Mary (McComb) Wright.
iv. JESSIE GILLESPIE, b. in Buffalo, 25 April, 1875.
v. MARY, b. in Buffalo, 21 Dec. 1876.

294.

EDGAR CAMP[8] (*Josiah*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Middletown, Ct., 19 May, 1846; manufacturer of trusses; married 5 June, 1873, Ellen Sherman, daughter of Wanton and Marianna (Almy) Sherman, of South Dartmouth, Mass., born in Honolulu, S. I., 6 Aug. 1849.

Children, all born at Middletown:

i. EDGAR CAMP,[9] b. 24 Aug. 1874; d. 26 Sept. 1879.
ii. ARTHUR SHERMAN, b. 24 Jan. 1876.
iii. HERBERT CLEVELAND, b. 29 July, 1878.
iv. CLARENCE EUGENE, b. 2 Feb. 1881.
v. ANNA SHERMAN, } b. 30 Oct. 1883.
vi. ALICE FOSTER, }

295.

ISAAC MOSELEY[8] (*Samuel*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Lafayette, Ind., 8 Aug. 1854; married 25 Oct. 1882, Ella R. Murray, daughter of George B. and Susan Murray of Sedalia, Mo., born 14 Oct. 1855. Farmer at Sedalia; wrote an acceptable letter to the Chicago family meeting in 1893.

Children:

i. GEORGE MOSELEY,[9] b. and d. 14 Aug. 1885.
ii. CHARLOTTE EMMA, b. 19 March, 1887.
iii. CHARLES SAMUEL, b. 14 Oct. 1889.

295 *a*.

ELIJAH[8] (*Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y., 17 Nov. 1819; died 13 Jan. 1898; married in Dec. 1846, Hannah M. Boughton. Farmer; supervisor and superintendent of schools at Jefferson.

Resided at Jefferson, N. Y.

Children:

i. MARY FIDELIA.[9]
464*b*. ii. NAHUM ELIJAH.
iii. MARIA ELLA; m. Stephen Albert Curtis; residence, Schenectady, N. Y.
iv. HARRIET ADELINE; m. John Thomas Metcalf; res. Springfield, Mass.

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295 *b*.

SYLVANUS MANN[8] (*Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y., 15 March, 1825; died 17 Feb. 1898; married first, 5 Feb. 1851, Ann F. Newcomb; married second, Harriet L. Scovell. Resided at Jefferson, N. Y. Farmer.

Children:

464*c*. i. GEORGE ELMER.[9]
ii. SARAH; m. Thomas Bergen.
464*d*. iii. CHARLES LEROY.
464*e*. iv. CLIFFORD G.
v. JENNIE ESTHER.

295 *c*.

GEORGE WASHINGTON[8] (*Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y., 4 Feb. 1832; died 17 Dec. 1882; married, 27 June, 1860, Martha Baird. Resided at Jefferson. Farmer.

Children:

i. HARRIET.[9]
ii. MAY, m. Hector Taylor.
iii. ULYSSES GRANT.
iv. EVERETT GEORGE; agriculturist; m. Miss Cooper.
v. ANNA RACHEL, m. John McCuen.
vi. BESSIE.
vii. LETA GREENWOOD.

295 *d*.

LEVI MANN[8] (*Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y., 28 May, 1834; married first, Helen Mann; married second, ———, of Worthington, Mass. Farmer and carpenter.

Children:

i. JEWETT[9].
ii. OAKLEY.

295 *e*.

ERSKINE[8] (*Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y., 28 June, 1836; married, at Athens, N. Y., 6 Sept. 1860, Sarah Jane Fox. Resides at Benton Harbor, Mich. Is a school teacher, merchant, horticulturist and money broker.

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Children:

464*f*. i. HERBERT MORTIMER,[9] b. 26 June, 1862.
ii. FLORA ADELAIDE, b. 19 Sept. 1864.
iii. LILLIAN LA BLANCHE, b. 20 Jan. 1866; d. July 27, 1866.

296.

WILLIAM APPLETON,[8] M. D. (*Henry M.*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bristol, N. H., 15 Aug. 1846; died 1 March, 1889; married, 18 Oct. 1867, Harriet Eliza, daughter of Noah and Delphia (Lindley) Rupert, of Minonk, Ill., born in Concord, Ill., 31 Jan. 1851. He graduated Rush Medical College, Chicago, Ill., 1868; practised medicine in Angola, N. Y. He died there. Mrs. Danforth married second, in 1895, Joseph Rupert; not known to be a relative. Residence, Buffalo.

Children:

465. i. HENRY JAY,[9] b. 21 Nov. 1868.
466. ii. ALMON GEORGE, b. 24 June, 1870.
iii. JOSEPHINE ESTELLA, b. 25 July, 1872; m. 2 Oct. 1875, Adolph B. Metzger; residence Buffalo, N. Y.
466*a* iv. ARTHUR JEROME, b. 26 June 1875.
v. EUGENE EVERETT, b. 30 March, 1877.
vi. JESSIE MAY, b. 12 Aug. 1879; m. in Buffalo, 4 July, 1901, William John Tollner.

297.

NATHAN BROWN[8] (*Appleton Howe*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 27 April, 1852, in Gowapath, Assam, British India; in business as wholesale and retail druggist, Wilmington, Del. He married, 9 Oct. 1879, Elizabeth, daughter of Washington and Emma (Stuger) Jones, of Wilmington, Del., born 24 June, 1857.

Child:

EDITH STUDLEY,[9] b. 13 Aug. 1881.

298.

CHARLES RICHARD[8] (*Richard Sears*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2], *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bristol, N. H., 4 Feb. 1845; res. Minonk, Ill.

299.

JOHN SAMUEL[8] (*Richard Sears*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 Nov. 1847; residence at Indian Rock, Franklin co., Maine, and in Florida.

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300.

WARREN HENRY[8] (*George Palmer*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 27 May, 1845; married Mary A. Green.

302.

ALMON GEORGE[8] (*Asa H.*,[7] *Asa*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 7 Dec. 1840; married 17 Oct. 1861, Susan Amaranth Burton, born 3 April, 1841. Residence Washington, Ill.; is the head of the banking house of A. G. Danforth & Co.

Children:

467. i. GEORGE CHESTER,[9] b. 11 Aug. 1862.

ii. JESSIE MARY, b. 16 Oct. 1865; m. 20 Sept. 1887, Homer Wirt McCoy, b. at Ironton, O; son of Charles William and Urania Wheeler McCoy. Resided a year in Los Angeles, Cal., a few years at Cuba, Ill., where he established a bank; organized the Bank of Commerce at Peoria, Ill, of which he was first cashier, then vice-president. Now in the firm of McDonald, McCoy & Co., bond brokers, Chicago, Ill. Child: Dorothy McCoy, b. 20 Dec. 1887.

iii. CATHARINE ARIANNA, b. 12 Oct. 1868; m. 8 Dec. 1891, Gerald B. Franks, of the firm of J. W. Franks & Sons, printers and publishers, Peoria, Ill., son of Joseph Wilson and Nanno (Barret) Franks. Child: Danforth Wilson Franks, b. 8 Jan. 1894.

iv. ASA HAMILTON, b. 26 Sept. 1872; grad. Law Dept. Mich. Univ. 1891; in banking business at Washington, Ill.

v. MARY TELVA, b. 12 Sept. 1876; m. 9 Sept. 1898, George M. Stimson, of Peoria, Ill., cashier of the bank of A. G. Danforth & Co.

Children:

1. *Susan Elizabeth Stimson*, b. 31 March, 1900.
2. *Richard Danforth Stimson*, b. 3 Nov. 1901.

vi. ELOISE, b. 31 May, 1885; a student in Lasell Seminary, Auburndale, Mass. (1902).

303.

HENRY RUPERT[8] (*Asa H.*,[7] *Asa*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Washington, Ill., 3 Nov. 1842; married 2 Nov. 1865, Mary Eliza Wenger. He is a banker, residing at Washington, Ill.

Children:

i. ASA HAMILTON,[9] b. 16 Nov. 1867; d. 17 March, 1871.

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ii. JOSEPHINE HARRIET, b. 1 Dec. 1869; m. 20 June, 1899, Charles V. Miles (grad. Univ. of Mich. 1891), lawyer, Peoria, Ill.; child: Catherine Danforth Miles.
iii. HERMAN WENGER, b. 15 June, 1872; grad. Univ. Mich. 1899; attorney at law, Peoria, Ill.
iv. ALMON ELIAS, b. 12 Nov. 1877; d. 25 Dec. 1878.
v. ELIZABETH SARAH, b. 20 Aug. 1879.

304.

LYSANDER B.[8] (*Henry W.*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Troy, N. Y., 13 Feb. 1854; married 2 June, 1880, Ella, daughter of Lyman A. and Hannah (Moulton) Cox, of Fort Edward, N. Y.; she died 21 March, 1900. Resides Upper Troy, N. Y.

305.

SAMUEL C.[8] (*John*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *John*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Litchfield, N. Y., 20 July, 1829. Resides at Poland, O.; has four children.

306.

JAMES D.[8] (*Joseph H.*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Wethersfield, Vt., 20 Nov. 1818; died 27 Nov. 1850; married 6 Sept. 1841, Marcette Liscomb; one daughter; all have passed away.

307.

THOMAS HENRY[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Claremont, N. H., 12 Aug. 1815; died at Boston, 1 Aug. 1877; married first, 3 Nov. 1836, Amanda Jane McLellan, born in 1811; died 14 March, 1839; he married second, in 1846, Elizabeth S. Hackett. He married about 1857, Annie T. Johnson, born in 1834, living in 1902. He was a ship-chandler in Boston.

Children:

468. i. HENRY F.,[9] b. 1 April, 1837.
ii. FRANCES H. (adopted), b. in Chelsea in 1854; m. Charles L., son of Luther G. and Eliza A. N. Northrup.
iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. 30 Jan. 1859.
468*a*. iv. FRANK HOFFMAN, b. 3 Jan. 1869.
v. SAMUEL LANGMAIDE, b. 20 March, 1875.

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308.

CHARLES FREDERICK[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Claremont, N. H., 12 Feb. 1817; died 28 Aug. 1863; married Mary Ellen Clapp.

309.

WILLIAM MORTIMER[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodstock, 17 Dec. 1819: died 7 May, 1884; married 22 April, 1857, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Artemas and Elizabeth (Seaver) Church, born 4 July, 1829.

310.

GEORGE ALEXANDER[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodstock, 17 Aug. 1828; married 29 May, 1853, Eliza L. McClannin, born at Gloucester, 5 March, 1837.

Children:

i. ROBERT THOMAS,[9] b. 20 Feb. 1855; d. 30 Oct. 1856.
ii. GEORGE EDWARD, b. 15 Nov. 1857.
iii. WILLIAM APPLETON, b. 6 Nov. 1860.
iv. ISABEL LOUISA, b. 2 Nov. 1862; d. 20 May, 1863.
v. FOSTER FARRAR, b. 21 Sept. 1865; d. 17 Feb. 1867.

311.

EDWARD WARREN[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodstock, 28 Aug. 1830; died at Boston, 6 July, 1882; married 27 Feb. 1859, Anna D. Bowe, daughter of James and Mary Bowe, b. in Ireland, 9 April, 1837.

Children:

i. ANNA FRANCES,[9] b. 25 March, 1860; m. 21 Jan. 1884, William H., son of William H. and Rhodema Darling, of Boston, b. 15 Oct. 1860.
ii. HARRIET AMANDA, b. in Boston, 8 July, 1865.

311 *a*.

AMARIAH[8] (*Stearns*,[7] *John*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Concord about 1819; died about 1857; married first, at Lowell, 29 Aug. 1844, Susan A., daughter of Oliver and Elizabeth Derby, born in 1821. He married second, in Groton, 11 Feb. 1851, Harriet A. Derby, a sister of his first

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wife, born in Groton in 1830. After his death she returned to Groton and petitioned Probate Court 5 May, 1857. He was a grocer; resided at Lowell.

312.

EDWIN S.[8] (*Stearns,*[7] *John,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woburn about 1840; married at Cambridge, 1 Aug. 1861, being a "soldier in U. S. army," "of Woburn," Charlotte A., daughter of Christopher and Sarah Grevitte, "of Boston, æ. 19."

313.

ROBERT H.[8] (*Stearns,*[7] *John*[6], *Thomas*[5], *Thomas*[4], *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Charlestown in 1833; married at South Reading, 19 July, 1864, being an "upholsterer," Ada L. C., daughter of Peabody [?] and Margaret E. Gowing, of South Reading, born at Lynnfield in 1853.

314.

ALBERT H.[8] (*Stearns,*[7] *John,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica about 1835; married first (unknown); married "second," at Wakefield, 13 June, 1872, Marilla, daughter of Benjamin and Frances S. McClenathan, of Wakefield. He married third, at Wakefield, 26 Dec. 1873, Mary Ellen Mellen, of Wakefield, born at Calais, Me., in 1850, daughter of John and Susan Mellen.

315.

SILAS LORENZO[8] (*Silas,*[7] *John,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Root, Mont'y co., N. Y., 28 Sept. 1838; res. Eaton, N. Y. Married first, in March, 1863, Jane Stewart, born in W. Eaton, 27 Sept. 1838; died 5 Feb. 1867. He married second, 24 Dec. 1868, Charlotte Selfe, dau. of Samuel S. of Norwich, N. Y., born in Eng. in June, 1853.

Children:

i. JOHN FRANCIS,[9] b. 22 May, 1870.
ii. LEAH ADELLA, b. 23 Nov. 1876.

316.

MILTON EMERY[8] (*Silas,*[7] *John,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Little Falls, N. Y., 7 Aug. 1846;

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was at Chicago meeting. Res. (1893) Bay City, Mich. Married in Lebanon, N. Y., 28 Dec. 1869, Mary Amelia Epson, dau. of Chester Epson of Lebanon, N. Y., born in July, 1848.

Child:

DERWOOD LEON,[9] b. in E. Saginaw, Mich., 13 Feb. 1878.

317.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[8] (*Benjamin Franklin,*[7] *Thomas,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 Feb. 1826; was a farmer at Rindge, N. H. He married at Lexington, 11 April, 1848, Sarah M., daughter of Capt. James Rhoades, of Grafton, Vt., born 25 Feb. 1821; she died 23 May, 1897. He died 30 April, 1897.

Children:

i. CHARLES,[9] b. 9 April, 1851; d. 25 Jan. 1852.
469. ii. GEORGE MARSHALL, b. 19 May, 1853.
iii. JAMES RHOADES, b. 19 April, 1859.
iv. ANNA ELIZABETH, b. 23 March, 1861; m. 1 Aug. 1888, George W. Tarbell, of Winchendon.

318.

CHARLES HENRY[8] (*John,*[7] *Thomas,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Lowell, 24 Aug. 1839; married 25 April, 1859, Roxanna Haley, born 1 Jan. 1841, died 27 May, 1891. Resides at Winchendon.

Adopted child:

MARY ELLEN,[9] (dau. of George P. and Mary Ellen (Haley) Bailey, sister of Roxanna), adopted 27 July, 1860; name changed 11 Nov. 1862; m. Judson S. Jewett, of Rindge, N. H.

319.

JONATHAN[8] (*Jonathan,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married Azuba Daggett; she res. in Fort Covington, N. Y.

Child:

JONATHAN,[9] resides at Fort Covington.

320.

EBENEZER[8] (*Jonathan,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1802; died in 1859, æ. 57; married Abigail Sumner, in Sept. 1826. Res. Danville, Vt.

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Children, all born in Danville, Vt.:

470. i. ALFRED H.,[9] b. 25 Sept. 1827.
ii. HARRIET, b. in Aug. 1830; d. 7 April, 1879; m. in Oct. 1853, C. L. Stone.
471. iii. CHARLES, b. in May, 1832.
iv. ROA (ROSA?) b. in Sept. 1837; d. in Jan. 1873; m. Sanford Slocum, Morristown, Vt.
v. MIRIAM, d. at seven years of age.

## 321.

JAMES[8] (*Jonathan*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 3 July, 1805; died 23 March, 1877; married 31 Jan. 1833, Philena Kenney; she died 10 June, 1900, in her 94th year. Resided at Massena Springs, N. Y.

Children:

i. MARY,[9] b. 18 March, 1835; d. 21 Feb. 1859.
ii. JUDSON, b. 8 July, 1836; d. 31 Jan. 1837.
iii. JUDSON, b. 31 Oct. 1839; d. 7 March, 1843.
iv. JAMES, b. 27 July, 1843; d. 15 Aug. 1850.
v. ELIZABETH, b. 22 Sep. 1845; m. in Massena, N. Y., Wm. Bradford, son of Samuel and Mary Perkins Bradford.
472. vi. SAMUEL SILAS, b. 11 March, 1849.

## 322.

CALVIN[8] (*Jonathan*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married in Fort Covington, N. Y., Sarah Waterbury.

Children:

ALBERT,[9] lawyer; res. at Chicago.
HOBART.
FRED, res. at Charles City, Iowa.

## 322 *a*.

LEONARD[8] (*Leonard*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Danville, Vt., 24 Aug. 1801; married Lucy Dinsmore.

Children, all born in Danville:

i. ALVIN BALTON,[9] b. in 1841; was a fine athlete, six feet three and a half inches tall; enlisted in Co. I, 3d Vt. Vol. Inf. in 1861; was transferred to the 1st Penn. Cav. in 1862. Narrowly escaped drowning while on a scout in winter, took cold, was discharged, went home and died three days after reaching home.

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ii. CHARLES HARVEY, b. 13 May, 1843; enlisted in the same regt. with Alvin, 11 June, 1861. After the war entered into theatrical and circus business. Now (1902) in Incandescent Lamp business in Philadelphia, Pa.; married; wife died; no children.
iii. MARTHA JANE; m. —— Martin; resides in London, Eng.
iv. LORENZO C., died young.

322 *b*.

ALBERT GRISWOLD[8] (*Leonard*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Danville, Vt., 31 Dec. 1814; married first, 31 Dec. 1845, Emerenza Kidder, dau. of Friend and Rebecca (Kidder) Corser. He married second, Christina Wilson.

Children:

473. i. ALBERT LEWIS,[9] b. 26 April, 1847.
ii. EMMA LOUISA, b. 30 March, 1849; m. 21 Oct. 1877, Frank Benj. Prue, son of Frank and Harriet Prue, b. in Derby Line, Vt., 16 Oct. 1849.

Children of Frank B. and Emma L. (Danforth) Prue:

1. *Albert Danforth Prue*, b. 23 Aug. 1879.
2. *Emma Corser Prue*, b. 23 Feb. 1883.
3. *Alexis Francis Prue*, b. 22 Aug. 1884; d. 18 July, 1885.

iii. ALICE JANE, b. 30 Jan. 1853; m. 5 Sept. 1879, Alexis Francis Pero, son of Marcus and Margaret (Whitebird) Pero, b. in Taunton, in Sept. 1849.

Children of Alexis F. and Alice J. (Danforth) Pero:

1. *Leonard Francis Pero*, b. 13 July, 1880.
2. *Lewis Henry Pero*, b. 31 March, 1886.

iv. HARVEY MARTIN.
v. GEORGE ORA.
vi. ESTELLA MAY.
vii. MATILDA.
viii. GEORGE VANCE.

322 *c*.

HARVEY BLANCHARD[8] (*Leonard*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Danville, Vt., 20 Jan. 1821; married in June, 1844, Martha Dearborn, born 30 Aug. 1825.

Children, all born in Danville:

i. MARTHA JANE,[9] b. 26 Nov. 1846; m. 2 April, 1865, Henry F. Phillips.

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Children of Henry F. and Martha J. (Danforth) Phillips:

1. *Jenny Phillips.*
2. *Ferdinando Phillips.*

ii. ABBY ROSELLE, b. 10 Jan. 1849.
iii. CLARA ANN, b. 15 April, 1851; m. in Lowell, in 1868, David, son of Samuel and Caroline Moody, b. in 1846.
474. iv. HARVEY LEWIS, b. 28 March, 1853.
v. ELLA ESTELLA, b. 21 Aug. 1860; m. at Fall River, 7 June, 1882, Joseph W., son of Wm. W. and Emily (Gifford) Sampson, b. in 1862.

Child:

*Mildred Sampson*, b. 28 Oct. 1883.

323.

LUTHER WARREN,[8] called also WARREN LUTHER (*Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 17 Sept. 1819; married 12 March, 1846, Betsey LaRue. Residence, East Constable, N. Y.

324.

ALBON JAMES[8] (*Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*[5], *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Fort Covington, N. Y., 7 Aug. 1824; died at Hooksett, N. H., 11 Sept. 1881; married 4 March, 1845, Margaret A. McArthur, b. in Scotland in 1826. He was a carpenter and millwright; resided chiefly at Manchester, N. H. He served in the War of the Rebellion in the 14th N. Y. Heavy Artillery throughout the war. The widow resides in Manchester, N. H., with her son Charles W. Three of the sons became ministers of the Gospel.

Children:

474*a*. i. ALBERT C.,[9] b. at Bombay, N. Y., 17 May, 1848.
474*b*. ii. LESLIE RUSSELL, b. at Fort Covington, N. Y., 1849.
iii. LUTHER LEROY, b. at ———; disappeared in 1881.
iv. HIRAM OTIS, d. in infancy.
474*c*. v. CHARLES WINTERS.
vi. THOMAS RICHEY, b. 1859; d. at W. Stockholm, N. Y., in 1878.
474*d*. vii. OTIS STANLEY.
viii. A child, d. in infancy.
474*e*. ix. WILLIAM FABER.

325.

REV. HORACE MELVIN[8] (*Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 8 Nov. 1828;

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married 15 Aug. 1847, Carrie Winters, born 12 March, 1827; she died 5 Nov. 1885.

He resides (1902) at Camden, N. Y.

326.

REV. STANLEY FABER[8] (*Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 12 Aug. 1829; married 3 May, 1850, Minerva Russell, of Fort Covington, N. Y., born 25 July, 1829.

Resides (1902) at Dexter, N. Y.

Children:

i. MARY FRANCIS,[9] b. 7 May, 1852; d. Feb. 1860.
ii. ELIZABETH MARIA, b. 8 June, 1854; m. John Knapp; res. Watertown, N. Y.
iii. EMMA JANE, b. 3 May, 1856; m. Gaylord Baxter, now (1902) chief of police, Watertown, N. Y.
iv. IDA LOUISA, b. 15 Nov. 1861; m. Fred Douglas; res. Pillar Point, N. Y.
474*f*. v. STANLEY FABER, JR., b. 16 March, 1866.

327.

ISAAC[8] (*Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), livery stable keeper at Bangor, Me.; married in 1838, Nancy Doane, of Hampden, Me.

Children:

i. HELEN FRANCES,[9] d. 3 July, 1892.
ii. AUGUSTA EMILY.
475. iii. CHARLES FREDERICK.

328.

HON. CHARLES[8] (*Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Norridgewock, Me., 1 Aug. 1815; died 30 March, 1890; married 15 Jan. 1845, Julia Sewall Dinsmore.

He studied in the public schools of his native town and the academies of Farmington and Bloomfield. Read law with John Searle Tenney of Norridgewock, afterward a judge of the Supreme Court of Maine. Began practice in Gorham, Me., in 1838; removed in 1841, to Gardiner, Me., which was his home for the rest of his life. Was a representative to the Legislature several times; twice elected county attorney; appointed in 1864 to the bench of the Supreme Judicial Court, a position which he filled with honor for twenty-six years. He delivered many opinions of eminent value, and was rarely overruled.

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"Judge Danforth was a simple man, who dwelt with substance, and had no care for show. He loved most things that were simple, nature and his God, and he ever lived close to both. He was solid rather than brilliant; relied less upon intuition than upon industry; was a tireless, conscientious worker; had a strong grasp of legal principles; built up his opinion with great blocks from the common law. He loved equity, and hated injustice." [Mr. Baker, in The Green Bag, 1896.] He was tall, erect, and of a fine address. He died at his home in Gardiner, March 30, 1890.

Children:

i. EDWARD,[9] b. 27 Nov. 1845; d. 16 Sept. 1849.
476. ii. FREDERIC, b. 8 Feb. 1848.

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FRANKLIN[8] (*Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Norridgewock, 11 July, 1817; died 8 April, 1890; farmer, Norridgewock; married 26 Sept. 1843, Eliza A. Rogers.

Children:

477. i. GEORGE FREDERIC,[9] b. 7 Sept. 1844.
ii. SARAH MARIA, b. 1 Jan. 1847; m. Clarence J. Cheney, 26 Oct. 1871.

Children of Clarence J. and Sarah M. (Danforth) Cheney:

1. *Margaret Cheney.*
2. *Myrtle Cheney.*
3. *Arthur Cheney.*

iii. HENRIETTA EMILY, b. 11 April, 1849.
478. iv. EDWARD FRANKLIN, b. 1 Sept. 1856.
v. ELIZABETH.

330.

JAMES HUTCHINS[8] (*Isaac*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*,)[1] born in Washington, N. H., 7 July, 1817; married 17 April, 1845, Mary Jane, daughter of Benj. O. Wellington, of Lexington. He was some time a partner of Almon Danforth Hodges (p. 59) in the wholesale grocery business in Boston. Several years connected with the U. S. Sub-treasury at Boston. Resided in Cambridge, later in Boston. He died March 6, 1902.

Children:

i. LILLIE WARREN,[9] b. 13 June, 1848.
ii. MARY A., b. 28 June, 1850; d. 21 Sept. 1851.
iii. JOHN.

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GEORGE FRANKLIN[8] (*Isaac*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Boston 5 July, 1819; died at Rochester, N. Y., 25 Sept. 1899. He married 27 April, 1846, Frances Jeanette, daughter of Orrin and Frances Jeanette (Gold) Wright, of Pittsfield; she died in Jan. 1885.

"Ex-Judge George F. Danforth of Rochester, N. Y., at one time on the New York State Court of Appeals bench, dropped dead in court today. He had just argued a case and taken his seat when stricken with apoplexy, he expired two minutes later in an adjoining room. He was graduated at Union College in 1840, and after studying law began practice in Rochester, N. Y., where he was eminently successful, and soon rose to the front rank of the profession. In 1876 he was the Republican candidate for judge of the Court of Appeals of the State of New York, but was defeated by Robert Earl. Two years later he was again nominated for a similar office, and after being elected took his seat on the bench Jan. 1, 1879. Except during the period from Jan. 1, 1879 to 1890, in which he was an associate judge of the New York Court of Appeals, his practice had been uninterrupted. He retired from the bench Jan. 1, 1890, on reaching the constitutional limit of age, and resumed law practice. He was president of the commission to revise the Judiciary. Judge Danforth was a Republican, and was a member of the judiciary commission of 1892, but had held no other office." [Rochester Democrat, Sept. 26, 1892.] Many testimonials to his "great judicial ability"; "talent for hard work"; "profound knowledge of the law"; "the accuracy of expression and clearness of thought" displayed in his pleadings, are given in this paper, and tributes to his attractive and estimable character.

Children:

i. FRANCES WRIGHT,[9] b. 1 March, 1847; m. 27 April, 1870, Henry Fitch Huntington, b. in Schoharie co. in 1845; d. at Rochester, 25 June, 1900. He was for a number of years connected with W. B. Raymond in a private banking business and was at the same time engaged in real estate transactions. Upon the dissolution of his partnership with Mr. Raymond, Mr. Huntington, with others, organized the Commercial Bank, and from the time of its institution until April, 1890, was its cashier. Since that time he had held an important position in the sales department of the Vacuum Oil Company. While always active in business he gave a great deal of attention to the establishment and improvement of the city park system; and it is generally admitted that he did as much toward bringing the parks to their present state of completeness and popularity as any single resident of the city, Dr. Moore excepted. He was one of the original mem-

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bers of the board of park commissioners, was from the organization of the board the chairman of the Genesee Valley park committee, and was for many years a member of the police and employment committee of the board, and, for a number of years, its treasurer. He was quick to comprehend a thing, and equally ready in his decisions; a trait which made him a valuable commissioner and brought success to many undertakings initiated through his recommendation.

His death resulted from apoplexy, the first attack of which he suffered at Atlantic City, and which for a time deprived him of the use of his voice. He had been in ill health ever since returning home. [Local journal.]

Children of Henry F. and Frances W. (Danforth) Huntington:

1. *Jeannette Wadsworth Huntington*, b. 12 July, 1871.
2. *George Danforth Huntington*, b. 11 July, 1874; m. 6 Nov. 1901, Helen Irene, dau. of the late John Henry and Mrs. Mary (Brainard) Treadwell, of Watertown, N. Y., b. 5 Oct. 1874. He grad. Rochester Univ. 1896; Mass. Inst. Tech. 1898. Is a civil engineer with the N. Y. Air Brake works, Watertown, N. Y.
3. *Elizabeth Partridge Huntington*, b. 18 June, 1876.

ii. HERBERT FARNSWORTH, b. 9 June, 1849; d. 10 Dec. 1859.
iii. CHARLES FRANKLIN, b. 18 March, 1851; d. 29 Nov. 1859.
480. iv. HENRY GOLD, b. 14 June, 1854.
v. MARY CELINA, b. 11 Sept. 1856; d. 11 Dec. 1859.
vi. JESSIE APPLETON, b. 7 April, 1861; m. at Buffalo, 10 Feb. 1891, Charles Edmund Miller, Esq., of New York city; of the law firm of Miller & Wells, and a trustee of the Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Children of Charles E. and Jessie A. (Danforth) Miller:

1. *Charles E. Miller.*
2. *Danforth Miller.*

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ISAAC WARREN[6] (*Isaac*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born about 1826; died 29 Nov. 1889; married 13 Oct. 1854, "æ. 28," Eliza, daughter of Oliver Hastings of Cambridge, born 22 Dec. 1826, died 21 June, 1876. No children. He was a merchant in Boston. He made will 2 Oct. 1886, probated 8 May, 1888; beq. to Eliza H. and Mabel W. Ware, of Cambridge, referring to an agreement with their father, the late Henry Ware; Mabel Warren and John Oliver, children of John A. Henshaw, of Cambridge; May O. H., wife of Morris L. Longstreth, of Philadelphia; Edith N., dau. of Oliver Hastings, of Camb.; Nellie, dau. of Benjamin S. Shaw, of Boston; to his gardener, John

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Benson; to the Union Club, of B.; to Caroline H. Henshaw, of Camb. and her children then living; to brother Charles H. Danforth all his real estate in Colorado; to Robert S. Covell, of Boston; to brother James H. Danforth and his wife Mary Jane; to the children of bro. George Danforth; to the Avon Place Home and the Perkins Institute for the Blind, suggesting an "Eliza Hastings Danforth Fund."

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CHARLES HUTCHINS[8] (*Isaac,*[7] *David,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 16 July, [1825]; married in Jan. 1873, Julia C. Moulton. Resides on a farm near Denver, Col.

Child:

GEORGE.[9]

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AARON[8] (*Aaron,*[7] *Benjamin,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 17 Oct. 1807, in Billerica; removed to Portland, Me.; died 16 March, 1877; married 15 Oct. 1838, Elizabeth S., daughter of Nathaniel and Annie (Mitchell) Cobb, born in Portland, 8 Oct. 1813.

Children:

i. CHARLES HENRY,[9] b. in Boston, 25 March, 1840; lost at sea, 9 Dec. 1859.

ii. SARAH GRAFFAM, b. at Roxbury, 27 March, 1843; m. first, at Cambridge, 2 March, 1868, Martin, son of Calvin and Melinda (Sargent) Cheney, b. at Bradford, N. H., in 1845; d. 10 Jan. 1871. She m. second, 6 May, 1874, Charles E., son of Cullen and Harriet Pratt, of Westmoreland, N. H.; he d. 26 April, 1877. She m. third, 18 Nov. 1883, Willard R., son of Edward and Elizabeth (Willard) Woodbury, of Cape Elizabeth, Me.

iii. ANNA MARIA, b. at Cape Elizabeth in Sept. 1847; d. 27 Oct. 1848.

iv. SOPHRONIA FICKETT, b. at Cape Elizabeth, 4 April, 1849; d. 19 Aug. 1879; m. 19 Feb. 1871, Joseph Henry, son of Edw. and Elizabeth (Willard) Woodbury, who d. 12 Nov. 1873. Child: Grace May Woodbury, b. 10 May, 1872; d. 27 Oct. 1878.

334.

CHARLES[8] (*Aaron,*[7] *Benjamin,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, 27 Dec. 1811;

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died in Clear Lake, Wis., 16 June, 1881; lived for a time in Medford, where he married, 25 Dec. 1838, Matilda Orman, daughter of Francis and Lydia (Saunders) Shed, of Medford, born 24 Oct. 1816. He went in 1857 to Farmington, Wis., was postmaster there about ten years. They took up a homestead in Black Brook, Polk co.

Children, born in Billerica:

i. AARON FRANCIS,[9] b. 16 March, 1842; died 18 March, 1862; served in 4th Wisconsin Regt., Co. G.; died after 4 months of fever in hospital, at Newport News.

ii. CAROLINE MATILDA, b. 18 Sept. 1844, in Medford; m. 20 May, 1860, James C. Nelson; res. Clear Lake, Wis.

Children of James C. and Caroline M. (Danforth) Nelson:

1. *Marshall James Nelson*, b. in Somerset, 1 Jan. 1861; d. 18 Sept. 1867.
2. *Effie Louisa Nelson*, b. 12 Jan. 1864; d. 24 Jan. 1864.
3. *William Francis Nelson*, b. 20 March, 1865; d. in Framingham, Wis., 3 Sept. 1867.
4. *Addie Grace Nelson*, b. in Black Brook, Wis., 1 July, 1867; d. 10 Nov. 1868.
5. *Matilda Isabel Nelson*, b. 29 Nov. 1869; m. 13 April, 1888, Nels Bredeson.
6. *Emily J. Nelson*, b. 26 Aug. 1872.
7. *Edna Louisa Nelson*, b. 5 Oct. 1880.

iii. MARY ELIZA, b. 4 Dec. 1848, in Billerica; married in Black Brook, Wis., 5 Feb. 1868, Stephen Decatur Starkweather; res. Black Brook, Wis.

Children of Stephen D. and Mary E. (Danforth) Starkweather:

1. *Herbert Francis Starkweather*, b. in Clear Lake, Wis., 30 Dec. 1870.
2. *Belle Dosia Starkweather*, b. in Clear Lake, Wis., 9 Oct. 1873.

## 335.

GEORGE HENRY[8] (*Aaron*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Billerica, Mass., 14 Feb. 1827; married 16 Jan. 1853, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward and Mary Potter.

Children:

i. ABBY L.,[9] b. in Medford, 9 Sept. 1854; d. 30 April, 1855.

481. ii. GEORGE HENRY, b. 18 Oct. 1859.

iii. MARY E., b. in Hallowell, Me., 8 Jan. 1871.

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JOSEPH VARNUM[8] (*Aaron,*[7] *Benjamin,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Benjamin,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Billerica, 2 May, 1831; died at Billerica in Feb. 1869; married 26 Sept. 1852, Jane Maria, daughter of Ezra and Sarah (Gates) Putney, born in Chesterfield, N. H., 10 Jan. 1827, died at Jaffrey, N. H., 12 July, 1885.

Children:

i. JANE MARIA PUTNEY,[9] } b. in Troy, N. H., 23 Aug. 1853.
ii. JANET CAROLINE, } b. in Troy, N. H., 23 Aug. 1853.
d. 24 Aug. 1853.
482. iii. JOSEPH FRANCIS, b. in Troy, N. H., 31 Dec. 1854.
iv. JAMES MONROE PUTNEY, b. in Billerica, 27 April, 1856.
v. JUSTINA MARY, b. 18 March, 1859; d. at Billerica, 4 Dec. 1868.
vi. JOSEPHINE MARIA, b. 6 Oct. 1861.
vii. JOSIAH HENRY, b. 24 May, 1864; d. at Billerica, 21 April, 1865.
viii. JULIA ABBY HENRIETTA, b. 8 Sept. 1866, at Billerica.

336 *a*.

ORAMEL[8] (*Jonathan,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hillsboro, N. H., 14 Aug. 1815; married first, 15 April, 1846, Mary Willey, of Sheffield, Vt., born 28 Dec. 1821, died 1 Dec. 1879. He married second, Angelina Bignell. Residence, Hillsboro, N. H.

336 *b*.

JONATHAN[8] (*Jonathan,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Hillsboro, N. H., 14 Nov. 1826; married 1 July, 1852, Nancy Blanchard, of Washington, N. H.; resided at Francestown, N. H., when he attended Family Meeting in 1880. No children.

336 *c*.

EBEN TOWNE[8] (*Benjamin,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Weare, N. H., 31 March, 1820; died 3 Nov. 1877; married 8 Aug. 1844, Mary Colby Davis, born 7 Sept. 1819, in Washington, N. H. Resided at Hillsboro, N. H. Was a blacksmith, working first with his father, afterward with his sons.

Children:

i. GEORGE MILTON,[9] b. 3 July, 1845; d. unm. 14 June, 1874.
ii. WILLARD FREEMAN, b. 8 Jan. 1847; d. 1 Sept. 1870.
iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. 1 Jan. 1849; a blacksmith, residing in Hillsboro.
iv. LOREN ARTHUR, b. 26 Feb. 1852; d. 1 Sept. 1854.
v. ELLA LORAINE, b. 15 July, 1857, "at home" in Hillsboro.

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PHINEAS ALPHEUS[8] (*Robert*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Antrim, N. H., 20 Aug. 1802; died at Gainesville, N. Y., 28 March, 1886; married 26 March, 1826, Minerva Willcox, born in Livonia, N. Y., 16 Sept. 1803; died at Gainesville, N. Y., 11 July, 1889.

Children:

483. i. PHINEAS ARANTHUS,[9] b. 28 March, 1828; d. 6 Nov. 1874.

483*a*. ii. AUGUSTUS MELVILLE, b. 6 July, 1831.

iii. HARRIET AUGUSTA, b. 25 Dec. 1839; m. 6 March, 1867, Benjamin Dubois Toan, b. at Penfield, N. Y., 22 March, 1830. Residence, Rochester, Minn.

Children of Benjamin D. and Harriet A. (Danforth) Toan:

1. *Ernest George Toan*, b. 21 Oct. 1870.
2. *Ada Helena Toan*, b. 21 Oct. 1872; m. 1 Sept. 1898, Dr. Gentz Perry, son of Edward Hiram and Alice (Elmendorf) Perry, b. 1 Sept. 1869; grad. Univ. Minn.; residence, Amery, Wis. Children: (1) Kathryn Lucille Perry; (2) Edward Benjamin Perry.
3. *Arthur Benjamin Toan*, b. 28 Aug. 1874.
4. *Clara Louisa Toan*, b. 7 Aug. 1878.

338.

NASON[8] (*Robert*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[7] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hillsboro, N. H., 26 Nov. 1804; died at Ogden, N. Y., 22 May, 1835; married first, in Rochester, 7 April, 1830, Ann Lindsley; she died in Rochester, N. Y., in June, 1832. He married second, 13 June, 1833, Samantha Hawks; she died in Pennsylvania.

Child:

MARIAN AMANDA,[9] b. in Rochester, in June, 1834; d. at Rochester, in Dec. 1835.

339.

LEANDER[8] (*Robert*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Royalton, Vt., 30 Jan. 1807; died at Ogden, N. Y., 8 July, 1882; married in Rochester, N. Y., 29 Oct. 1835, Eunice Kinsman Manning, daughter of Aaron and Lydia (Noyes) Manning, born in Bradford, N. H., 9 June, 1814; died at Ogden, N. Y., 5 Aug. 1892. Resided at Ogden (P. O. Adams Basin), N. Y. He was a farmer; took sides with the abolitionists in the days when it required great courage to defend the rights of the oppressed.

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Children, born in Ogden:

i. EUDORA ELIZABETH,[9] b. 26 June, 1841; unm.

ii. FLORENCE ARRABEL, b. 10 Nov. 1843; m. 12 Feb. 1868, George Stamp, son of William and Catherine (Altoft) Stamp, b. in Messingham, Lincolnshire, Eng., 15 April, 1828; d. at Conneaut, Pa., 29 May, 1871.

Child of George and Florence A. (Danforth) Stamp:

*Clarence George Stamp*, b. in Conneaut, Pa., 22 Jan. 1869; m. 2 Jan. 1895, Myrtie Elizabeth, dau. of Zenas Case and Sarah Maria (Irwin) French, b. 27 Nov. 1872. Child, Inez Gertrude Stamp, b. 5 Dec. 1898.

iii. ROSALIE AURELIE, b. 6 Oct. 1847; d. at Ogden, N. Y., 23 Oct. 1880.

## 340.

ROBERT ALONZO[8] (*Robert*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Ogden, N. Y., 16 April, 1821; died at Ogden, 20 June, 1857; married in Chili, N. Y., 23 Sept. 1847, Abigail, daughter of Ebenezer and Mary (Allen) Bickford, born in Glover, Vt.; died 26 July, 1855, æ. 24.

Child:

ABIGAIL,[9] b. in June, 1855; d. at Ogden, Sept. 1855, æ. 3 months.

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HIRAM[8] (*Cyrus*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Fletcher, Vt., 11 Dec. 1826; married 20 Nov. 1849, Hannah Cherry King, daughter of George and Eunice (George) King; (she says, "my grandmother on my father's side was a niece of Dr. Cotton Mather"). She died in Fairfield, Vt.. 23 Jan. 1893. Residence, Fairfield, Franklin co., Vt. He occupies and cultivates the farm previously owned by his father and his grandfather.

Children:

i. AMBROSIA WILLIE,[9] b. in Fletcher, 7 June, 1852; m. 25 Sept. 1877, William Whiting Foss, b. in Fairfax, Vt., 6 June, 1849. P. O. address, Fairfax.

Children of William W. and Ambrosia W. (Danforth) Foss:

1. *Sarah Myrtle Foss*, b. 21 Aug. 1880.
2. *George Edson Foss*, b. 7 Jan. 1885.
3. *Ruby Bell Foss*, b. 28 Sept. 1886; d. 21 Oct. 1886.

484. ii. GEORGE DOUGLAS, b. 16 March, 1855.

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ALLEN[8] (*David*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Fairfax, Vt., about 1828; died in 1853, æ. 25; married in Vermont, Edna Gilman. He went to Sweden, Monroe co., N. Y., and lived for a time with his uncle Levi.

Child:

ALIDA,[9] m. Lester Hall; d. in Manchester, N. H., 20 Oct. 1878.

Child of Lester and Alida (Danforth) Hall:

*Mary Hall.*

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ISAAC HILL[8] (*Daniel C.*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Fletcher, Vt., 24 Dec. 1818; died at St. Albans, 30 Dec. 1885; married first, in Benson, Vt., 3 Oct. 1841, Laura Lodosky Austin, daughter of Sylvester and Maria (Thomas) Austin, born in Ticonderoga, 12 March, 1816; died at St. Albans, 19 Dec. 1873.

He was a farmer in Fairfax, Vt. He married second, 7 Nov. 1874, Mrs. Mary Storey of St. Albans; she died at St. Albans in 1878, *s. p.*

Children:

i. HANNAH MARIA,[9] b. 4 May, 1842; m. in Fairfield, 24 Oct. 1866, Charles Byron Bullett, b. in Fairfield, Vt., 24 July, 1842; cabinet maker, res. St. Albans.

Children of Charles B. and Hannah M. (Danforth) Bullett:

1. *Lillie May Bullett*, b. 11 Nov. 1867, in Fairfield.
2. *Herbert Morton Bullett*, b. in St. Albans, 22 June, 1871.
3. *Merle Lynette Bullett*, b. in St. Albans, 8 Oct. 1883.

ii. HARRIET ESTHER, b. 21 March, 1845; m. 30 Dec. 1868, Richard Scott, son of Sylvester and Ann (Hawthorn) Scott, b. in Farnham, P. Q., 17 Sept. 1845; farmer; res. Buck Hollow, Franklin co., Vt.

Children of Richard and Harriet E. (Danforth) Scott:

1. *Herbert Edson Scott*, b. in Farnham, P. Q., 29 July, 1871.
2. *Richard Danforth Scott*, b. in Farnham, 29 July, 1876.
3. *Laura Emma Scott*, b. in Farnham, 17 Dec. 1879.

485. iii. DANIEL SYLVESTER, b. at St. Albans, Vt., 27 May, 1848.

iv. HULDAH IMOGENE, b. 1 Oct. 1852; d. 21 Jan. 1865.

v. SILAS HOLYOKE, b. in Fairfax, Vt., 27 Aug. 1856; deputy collector of customs, St. Albans.

vi. LAURETTA ELLA, b. 17 July, 1862; d. 26 Jan. 1865.

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## 344.

ELISHA LEE[8] (*Daniel C.*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Russell, Chateaugay, Canada, 7 March, 1829; residence, Del Rey, Iroquois, Ill.; farmer and stock-raiser. He married 7 Nov. 1850, Amelia, daughter of Walter and Dolly (Barnes) Lockwood, born in Dunham, Missisquoi, Canada, 25 Nov. 1827. He resides at Onarga, Ill.

Children:

486. i. DANA STEPHEN,[9] b. 12 June, 1853.
ii. CAROLINE ABIGAIL, b. 24 Feb. 1858; m. 6 March, 1879, William Talbot Conn, b. in Onarga, Ill., 9 Aug. 1855.

Children of William T. and Caroline A. (Danforth) Conn:

1. *Edith Amelia Conn*, b. 29 Jan. 1883.
2. *Flora Ethel Conn*, b. 6 Nov. 1884.
3. *Bessy Conn*, b. 14 July, 1887.
4. *Leon Danforth Conn*, b. 11 April, 1895.

## 345.

DAVID[8] (*Daniel C.*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Herman, N. Y., 9 June, 1830; removed to Champaign, Ill., and there died 7 Sept. 1895; married at Liberty, Ohio, 7 Sept. 1850, Phebe Ann, daughter of Asa and Lydia Ann (Safford) Gleason, born at MacKean (near Granville), O., 31 Dec. 1831.

"At the age of 18 he moved with his father's family to Union co., Ohio, where on Sept. 7, 1850, he was united in marriage with Phoebe A. Gleason. Together they had traveled life's pathway 45 years on the day of his death. To them were born four daughters. Minnie, the youngest, died at the age of eighteen months. Those living are Mrs. C. L. Meissner of Mattoon, Ill., Mrs. J. S. Reed and Mrs. J. W. Mulliken of Champaign. In the autumn of 1866 he located with his family in Champaign co., and in this city and vicinity he spent the rest ot his life. Mr. Danforth was a man loyal to principle and possessed of all the traits that make a worthy, useful citizen, neighbor and friend. They who knew him best, esteemed him most. In deeds of charity and kindness he followed the command, "Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth." In the home with his loving family was he the happiest; to them was he all that the terms "husband and father" mean in the truest, sweetest sense. His peaceful death was a fitting end to his faithful life." [Local paper].

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Mr. David Danforth.

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Children:

i. MARTHA JANE,[9] b. 21 Oct. 1851; m. in Champaign, 15 Jan. 1873, James S. Reed, son of Thomas Ashbury and Mary Ann (Sim) Reed, b. in Fredericton, O., 24 April, 1850; d. in Champaign, Ill., 17 July, 1886.

Children of James S. and Martha J. (Danforth) Reed:

1. *David Danforth Reed*, b. 8 Oct. 1877.
2. *Thomas Ashbury Reed*, b. 25 May, 1880, at York, Neb.
3. *Mary Ann Reed*, b. 30 April, 1885, at York, Neb.

ii. MARY JOSEPHINE, b. 8 June, 1854; m. 10 Sept. 1876, John Wallace Mulliken, son of Albert and Susan (Cook) Mulliken, b. in Campbelltown, N. Y., 9 March, 1849; res. Champaign, Ill.

Children of John W. and Mary J. (Danforth) Mulliken:

1. *Albert Danforth Mulliken*, b. in Champaign, Ill., 24 Nov. 1878; grad. High School, 1897.
2. *Phebe Lottie Mulliken*, b. in Champaign, 25 Feb. 1881.

iii. MELISSA LAURENTINE, b. 7 May, 1857; m. 21 May, 1884, Charles L. Meissner, son of Adolph M., b. in Oshkosh, Wis, 1 April, 1856; res. York, Neb.

Children of Charles L. and Melissa L. (Danforth) Meissner,

1. *Josephine Augusta Meissner*, b. in York, Neb., 9 May: 1885.
2. *Charles Danforth Meissner*, b. in York, Neb., 30 Oct. 1887.
3. *Laurentine Bertha Meissner*, b. in York, Neb., 23 Nov. 1889.

iv. MINNIE MARIA, b. 11 Jan. 1862; d. at Liberty, O., 23 July, 1863.

## 346.

WILLARD DANIEL[8] (*Daniel C.*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 29 April, 1847; married 15 Dec. 1875, Mahala Hannah Porter, dau. of Asa and Emily Jane (Sanders) Porter, born in Deerfield, Yarmouth co., N. S., 29 March, 1849. Farmer, residence Del Rey, Ill.; he died 25 April, 1901.

Children:

i. JERRY PORTER,[9] b. in Onarga, Ill., 24 Oct. 1876.
ii. HATTY ALICE, b. in Onarga, Ill., 2 Oct. 1878.
iii. DANA WILLY, b. in Ridgeland, Ill., 24 Feb. 1889.

## 347.

BLISS[8] (*David*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Fairfield, Vt., 2 July, 1815; re-

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sides West Mansfield, Ohio; married first, 21 Jan. 1836, Mary B. Brown, born 18 Feb. 1819, died 1 Oct. 1869. He married second, 27 Oct. 1870, Barbara Ann, daughter of Samuel S. and Mary A. (Yantiss) Roach, born 20 May, 1838.

Children:

i. SUSAN URSULA,[9] b. 15 Aug. 1837; d. 10 Sept. 1884.
ii. DAVID C., b. 13 Jan. 1843; d. 24 July, 1849.
iii. LOMA LOUISA, b. 26 June, 1843; d. 11 Aug. 1849.
iv. ALVIN BEAMAN, b. 25 July, 1845; d. 8 Aug. 1849.
v. GEORGE EDWIN, b. 19 Oct. 1847; d. 16 Dec. 1851.
vi. ALVERETTA, b. 25 Nov. 1851; d. 27 July, 1859.
vii. JULIA ANN, b. 6 Oct. 1854: d. 3 Aug. 1859.
viii. WARREN, b. 3 Nov. 1856; d. 11 Aug. 1859.
ix. CLARA JANE, b. 26 Aug. 1859; d. 7 Sept. 1885.
xii. FRANK J., b. 24 Aug. 1871, in West Mansfield, Ohio.
xiii. MARY ANN, b. 25 May, 1874.

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SAMUEL[8] (*David*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Vermont, 21 Feb. 1817; died 24 June, 1863; married 28 Aug. 1838, Elizabeth McDonald, born in Pennsylvania; died in Cass co., Mich., 10 June, 1876. In 1854 removed to Cass co., Mich. He enlisted in August, 1861, in 7th Mich. Battery to serve during the war. During two years saw some hard fighting, but he died of prevailing camp fever, and was buried at Milliken's Bend, in Madison parish, La.

Children:

i. MELISSA PAULINA,[9] b. in West Mansfield, 14 June, 1842; m. 27 Nov. 1862, Perry Aiken.

Children of Perry and Melissa P. (Danforth) Aiken:

1. *Alma Lucella Aiken*, b. in Fishlake Valley, 26 April, 1864.
2. *Clara Beatrice Aiken*, b. in Fishlake Valley, Nevada, 4 April, 1877.
3. *Charles Ernest Aiken*, b. in Fishlake Valley, Nevada, 20 July, 1880.
4. *Ora Belle Aiken*, b. in Cass co., Mich., 2 June, 1882.

ii. ALONZO, b. in West Mansfield, 15 March, 1844; d. 26 Nov. 1863, at Cassopolis, Cass co., Mich.
iii. REBECCA ANNA, b. in West Mansfield, 22 April, 1846; unm.; res. Elkhart, Ind. She and her brother George Walker resided on the homestead till 1884, when they removed to Elkhart, Ind., where he is employed on the Lake Shore and Mich. Southern Railway.
iv. NORMAN, b. in Ohio, 15 May, 1848; d. 14 July, 1849, in West Mansfield, O.

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v. ORRIN ADDISON, b. in Ohio, 15 Aug. 1850; d. 15 Sept. 1851, at West Mansfield, O.

vi. JOHN DAVID, b. 17 Aug. 1852; d. 5 Dec. 1877, at Mt. Victory, O.; was a graduate of Free Baptist College, Hillsdale, Mich. Was a telegraph operator. When on a visit in Mt. Victory, O., was killed by a falling tree.

487. vii. PHILANDER GORDON, b. in Cass co., 25 April, 1855.

viii. GEORGE WALKER, b. in Cass co., Mich., 21 May, 1858; unm.; res. Elkhart, Ind.

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HIRAM[8] (*David*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 4 Oct. 1819; died 24 Sept. 1865; married 3 March, 1845, Matilda L. Safford, died in May, 1876. No children.

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JEREMIAH MORROW[8] (*David*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 18 June, 1825; died 22 July, 1890; residence Raymond's (Union co.), O. Married 14 Oct. 1847, Mary Ann Smith, born in Pennsylvania, 24 March, 1823, died 26 Dec. 1881.

Children, born in Newton, Union co., O.:

488. i. THOMAS CORWIN,[9] b. 14 Sept. 1848.

ii. ELIZA JANE, b. 22 May, 1851; m. 1 Oct. 1873, Orrin Judson Wyeth, b. in Liberty, O.

Children of Orrin J. and Eliza J. (Danforth) Wyeth:

1. *Jesse Jeremiah Wyeth*, b. at Taylor, O., 31 Dec. 1874.
2. *Nettie Wyeth*, b. 8 March, 1879.

iii. SARAH ANN, b. in Newton, Union co., O., 27 Feb. 1855; m. 28 Sept. 1882, Robert Alexander Linn, b. in Troy, O., 12 Sept. 1849. Resides in Raymond, O. No children.

488*a*. iv. DAVID SARGENT, b. 24 Jan. 1861.

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Capt. JOSEPH[8] (*Joseph*,[7] *Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Tyngsboro, 19 Aug. 1805; died there 8 Nov. 1885; married 26 Nov. 1829, Delphia, daughter of Ebenezer and Mary (Bancroft) Swan, of Tyngsboro. He was educated in the public schools, and through life fond of reading; his conversation was interesting and instructive. He worked a short time as a mason; was engaged in the construction of the dry dock in Charlestown Navy Yard. He operated a saw and grist and carding mill

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until a year or two before his death. He filled successfully many town offices; was representative to the state legislature, 1840–1. He attended a military school in early life and was captain of a company of militia. He taught singing schools in T. and adjacent towns with success. In politics a Democrat, in religion a Universalist.

To him and his two sons the Danforth Family are indebted for their successful efforts in beginning and continuing the series of family meetings, in which the work of compiling a history and genealogy originated.

Children:

i. LUCY TAYLOR,[9] b. 25 Oct. 1830; d. 14 Nov. 1869; m. 23 Aug. 1854, John True Harris, b. 23 May, 1824.

Children of John T. and Lucy T. (Danforth) Harris:

1. *Sadie Luella Harris*, b. 14 Sept. 1857; d. 4 March, 1859.
2. *Charles Hayward Harris*, b. 3 March, 1862; d. 21 Aug. 1865.

ii. SARAH THOMPSON, b. 6 April, 1832; m. 28 Feb. 1871, Geo. Washington Burnham, b. 23 May, 1824, d. at Nashua, 29 May, 1883.

Child of George W. and Sarah T. (Danforth) Burnham:

*George Burnham*, b. 30 Dec. 1871; d. 4 Oct. 1872.

iii. DELPHIA SWAN, b. 29 April, 1834; unm.

iv. PARTHENIA PRISCILLA, b. 22 March, 1836; d. 22 April, 1884; m. 16 Sept. 1854, Sumner, son of John and Polly (Prescott) Woodward, b. in Tyngsboro, 18 April, 1819, d. 5 June, 1893.

Children of Sumner and Parthenia P. (Danforth) Woodward:

1. *Mary Luella Woodward*, b. 17 Jan. 1856; d. 6 Aug. 1860.
2. *Frederic Arthur Woodward*, b. 31 Dec. 1857; d. 3 Sept. 1872; m. Emma Adelia Hunter, dau. of Charles of Nashua. 27 Oct. 1881.
3. *Joseph Danforth Woodward*, b. 22 April, 1876.
4. *Blanche Delphia Woodward*, b. 24 Oct. 1877.

v. CHARLES HENRY, b. 7 Dec. 1838; a photographer; resides in Tyngsboro; res. some time in Boston; was music teacher and singer, member of the Handel and Haydn Society; the sisters Parthenia and Delphia were prominent singers also.

vi. RACHEL CUMMINGS, b. 21 Jan. 1841; d. unm. of cancer at Tyngsboro, 4 April, 1882.

489. vii. GEORGE DEXTER, b. 23 Jan. 1843.

viii. CAROLINE FIDUCIA, b. March, 1845; was many years a school teacher; m. in July, 1884, Rev. James Danforth, No. 490.

ix. LUELLA OCTAVIA, b. 18 June, 1848; d. 3 Sept. 1849.

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JAMES, M.D.,[8] (*Josiah*,[7] *Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*)[1] born [in Tyngsboro?] 2 Sept. 1816; died 16 April, 1833; resided and practised medicine at New Boston, N. H.; married in Sept, 1840, Margaret Clark, born 2 Feb. 1817; died 18 Sept. 1851.

Children:

i. SARAH FARWELL,[9] b. 7 Sept. 1841; d. 8 Dec. 1847.
ii. MARY FARWELL, b. 22 Jan. 1843; d. 6 March, 1844.
490. iii. JAMES, b. 2 July, 1846.
iv. JOSIAH, b. in June, 1851; d. 26 Aug. 1853.

353.

WILLIAM REED[8] (*Asa*,[7] *Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Norway, Me., 6 June, 1826; became a merchant; resided at N. Stratford, N. H.; removed to Saxonville, Mass.; married first, 2 Feb. 1863, Persis Bailey, dau. of Charles and Persis Bailey, of N. Stratford, N. H., born 27 Sept. 1830; she died 24 Jan. 1872. He married second, 21 Feb. 1874, Ellen (Tabor) May, dau. of Rev. L. H. Tabor, born 15 Oct. 1840. He died 12 Aug. 1895. His widow died at Groton, N. H., 17 Sept. 1898.

Child:

WILLIAM REED,[9] b. 29 July, 1867.

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JOSEPH HENRY[8] (*Asa*,[7] *Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Norway, Me., 8 April, 1829; died at N. Stratford, N. H., 29 Sept. 1890; married 16 Nov. 1857, Drusilla R. Willey, dau. of America and Mary Willey, of Fryeburg, Me., born 6 July, 1832. Was a very successful lumber dealer and merchant; postmaster of N. Stratford 25 years.

Children:

491. i. OLA HENRY,[9] b. 19 June, 1858.
ii. HARLEY HALL, b. 13 May, 1864; resided at Gorham, N. H.; removed to Boston (Dorchester) Mass.

Child:

*Pauline Enearl*, b. in Gorham, N. H., 15 July, 1896.

iii. DRUSILLA MAY, b. 3 Nov. 1872; d. 31 Aug. 1884.

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FRANCIS AUGUSTUS[8] (*Asa,*[7] *Josiah,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 14 April, 1833; farmer; married 2 Dec. 1860, Susan Adnah Tenney, dau. of Rev. Timothy Jackman Tenney, of Glover, Vt., a Universalist minister, and his wife, Izah Bacon Gibson; she was born 19 June, 1842. Residence Norway, Me.

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JOHN[8] (*Asa,*[7] *Josiah,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 9 Dec. 1834; died at Council Bluffs, Ia., 5 May, 1897; farmer; married 25 Jan. 1877, Minnie, dau. of James and Fanny M. Kilday, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, born in Dec. 1855. Resided some time at Woodbine, Ia.; more recently at Council Bluffs.

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JAMES[8] (*Asa,*[7] *Josiah,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 Oct. 1839; married 26 Dec. 1881, Mary L. Haskell, dau. of Charles H. and Laura Haskell of Norway, Me.; she was born 27 Nov. 1841, and died 24 Jan. 1872.

Children:

i. CHARLES HASKELL,[9] b. 30 Nov. 1883.
ii. ANNA LAURA, b. 12 May, 1888.
iii. SARAH ADNAH, b. 5 March, 1890.
iv. FRANCIS ASA, b. 16 Feb. 1892.

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CYRUS[8] (*Cyrus,*[7] *Thomas,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 17 July, 1804; died 26 Oct. 1835: married Julia Kitchell.

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THOMAS[8] (*Cyrus,*[7] *Thomas,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Oneida, N. Y., 2 June, 1806; resided at New Albany, Ind., and there died 26 Feb. 1878; married at Corydon, Ind., 24 Dec. 1834, Adeline Leffler, daughter of Isaac and Margaret (Vance) Leffler, born in Middletown, Pa., 8 March, 1815. She was living in 1898, at Springfield, Ohio.

He was a dry goods merchant some time, but for 30 years was cashier of the New Albany Bank. He was long an elder and active member of the Presbyterian church.

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Children:

i. HARRIET ADELINE,[9] b. 15 May, 1836; m. 15 Jan. 1857, Robert Quigley, son of David and Almena (Caldwell) King, b. at Tarlton, O., 13 Aug. 1832. Res. Springfield, O.

Children:

1. *David Ward King*, b. 27 Oct. 1857; m. 29 Dec. 1880, Mary Wylie Burbank.
2. *Thomas Danforth King*, b. 20 July, 1859; d. 23 Dec. 1888.
3. *Robert Leffler King*, b. 24 Aug. 1863; m. 4 June, 1890, Lola M. Askam.
4. *Almena Adeline King*, b. 17 Sept. 1869.
5. *Margaret Caldwell King*, b. 13 Feb. 1873; d. 30 Dec. 1886.

ii. MARY MARGARET, b. 8 July, 1838; m. 22 Dec. 1864, David King (brother of R. Q. King), b. 11 Sept. 1839. Res. Springfield, O. He enlisted in the 2d Ohio Vol. Inf. at first call for Federal troops, 17 April, 1861; lieut. and capt. Served second in 94th regt.; major and Lt.-colonel. Is a wholesale paper dealer.

Children:

1. *Clarence Noble King*, b. 25 Dec. 1865; m. in May, 1888, Isabella Munson.
2. *Jennie Mary King*, b. 2 Feb. 1876.

iii. THOMAS LEFFLER.

iv. THOMAS CYRUS.

v. CHARLES EDWARD.

vi. ANNA ELIZA, b. 5 April, 1853; d. 23 Nov. 1901; m. 1 Jan. 1874, George Cyril Hall. Residence, Plainfield, N. J.

Children of George C. and Anna E. (Danforth) Hall:

1. *Adeline Leffler Hall*, b. 16 July, 1875.
2. *Cyril Spencer Hall*, b. 29 Dec. 1876; d. 27 June, 1877.
3. *John Danforth Hall*, b. 28 Nov. 1882; d. 10 Jan. 1901.
4. *Elizabeth Carse Hall*, b. and d. in 1888.
5. *Margaret Belle Hall*, b. 8 June, 1891.

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GEORGE[8] (*Cyrus*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rome, N. Y., 25 Aug. 1811; died at Atlantic, Iowa, 7 Feb. 1899; married at Friendsville, Ill., in 1833, Emily Ruth Brown, daughter of Francis and Ruth (Burnham) Brown, born in Syracuse, 19 July, 1812. Resided at Friendsville and Atlantic, Ia. He was of tall, powerful frame and possessed of remarkable constitution. He served in Black Hawk War and during several years drew pension. He lived an active and laborious life as farmer and merchant; not a church member, but a deeply religious man.

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Children:

i. FRANCIS,[9] b. 20 Oct. 1834; d. in Aug. 1838.

ii. HARRIET, b. 1 Oct. 1837; d. 22 March, 1889; m. 26 Nov. 1860, Byron Lamson.

Children:

1. *Emily Eliza Lamson.*
2. *Mary Lamson*; m. R. A. Walker.
3. *Hattie Lamson.*
4. *Origen Lamson.*
5. *Cyrus Danforth Lamson*; minister, Garden Grove, Ia.

iii. MARY, b. 16 March, 1839; m. Philip Leeds; res. Mt. Carmel, Ill.

Children:

1. *George Leeds.*
2. *Edgar Leeds.*
3. *Hattie Leeds*; m. — Harris, Mt. Carmel, Ill.
4. *William Leeds.*
5. *Harmon Leeds.*
6. *Russell Leeds.*
7. *Fannie Leeds.*

iv. EMILY ANN, b. 29 Dec. 1840; d. in 1885.

v. CYRUS LAFAYETTE, b. 9 April, 1842; m. Ella McElroy; res. Cedar Gap, Mo. Served in the Civil War at Fort Donelson, etc.

Children:

1. *Hugh.*[10]
2. *Bertha.*
3. *May.*
4. *Jessie.*

vi. GEORGE BROWN, b. 15 Nov. 1844; m. Kate Wooster; res. Whitehall, Ill. Was a lieutenant in the Civil War.

Children:

1. *Ada*,[10] b. 12 March, 1873: m. Clarence Potts, and has son Danforth Potts, b. 12 Nov. 1896.
2. *Grace*, b. 2 Sept. 1874; m. Dr. Henry Chapin.

vii. CHARLOTTE RUTH, b. 12 Oct. 1847; m. 2 Jan. 1873, John Wesley, son of — and Elizabeth (Longwell) Winslow; he d. 1 Jan. 1888.

viii. JAMES WILLIAM, b. in 1848; unm.; res. Jacksonville, Ill.

ix. ELLA FRANCES, b. 27 June, 1850; d. in May, 1851.

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FRANKLIN[8] (*Cyrus*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rome, N.Y., 12 Aug. 1817; resided at Friendsville, Ill.; married first, Catherine Williams, born 4 Aug. 1827; died 30 Jan. 1854. He married second, Nancy (McLean) McIntosh. He married third, Mary (Dale) Stack.

Children:

i. JULIA ANN,[9] b. 12 Aug. 1848; m. —— Wilkinson.

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ii. ISABEL, b. 9 March, 1851.
iii. THOMAS, b. 26 June, 1853.
iv. MARY ELIZABETH, b. 11 July, 1857; d. 25 May, 1876.
v. FLORENCE JANE, b. 4 Nov. 1861.
vi. SARAH CATHERINE, b. 8 March, 1864.
vii. FRANKLIN CYRUS, b. 8 July, 1870.

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LORING[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 5 April, 1813; d. 11 Oct. 1869; married Louisa Mills.

Children:

i. MARY.[9]
ii. LOUISA.
iii. JOHN WILLISTON; lives in Buffalo, N. Y.

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ELIJAH HIGBY[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Pompey (now Lafayette), N. Y., 12 March, 1817; died 1 July, 1894. Married first, 8 April, 1843, Rhoda Hobart, daughter of Samuel and Rhoda Hobart, of Homer, N. Y. He married second, Volina Hobart, born 2 Feb. 1824. When he was a year old his parents removed to Busti, N.Y., and settled on a farm. He was educated at the Jamestown Academy, Allegheny College, and Meadville, Pa. Became a dentist; practised at Panama, at Warren, and at Jamestown for thirty-six years. Was a ruling elder in Presbyterian church; specially identified with anti-slavery and temperance movements, and an ardent worker in the Prohibitionist party.

Children:

i. CHARLES WILLISTON,[9] b. in Eagle, N. Y., 31 Jan. 1844.
ii. RACHEL HOBART. b. in Busti, N. Y.. 8 Feb. 1846: m. Dr. Samuel P. Hedges, of Chicago.
iii. SARAH LUCRETIA, b. 24 Sept. 1847; d. 19 Sept. 1853.
iv. LAVINIA RHODA, b. 18 Jan. 1851; m. 2 May, 1871, Rev. Leland M. Gilleland, Presbyterian minister; pastor at Buena Park, Chicago, Ill., at time of his death in April, 1891; she d. 15 May, 1891.
v. THOMAS HIGBY, b. in Warren, Pa., 14 Nov. 1853; d. 18 Aug. 1870.
vi. RHODA LUCRETIA, b. in Jamestown, N. Y., 20 March, 1858, d. 28 Aug. 1858.
vii. MARY LEMON, b. in Jamestown, 27 July, 1860.
viii. GEORGE FLAVEL, b. in Jamestown, 16 Nov. 1867; grad. Auburn Theological School; pastor Presb. church of Hornellsville, N. Y., 1893; president College of Montana at Deer Lodge, Mont., 1894.

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364.

THOMAS[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Busti, N. Y., 24 Feb. 1819; died 11 Nov. 1881; married in Lafayette, N. Y., 20 June, 1844, Lucy Baker, daughter of Sydenham and Sally (Hayden) Baker, of Chesterfield, Mass., born 28 Oct. 1815, died 24 July, 1888.

Children:

i. LAVINIA SABINA,[9] b. 15 Aug. 1845; m. in Dec. 1869, John H. Northway, b. in Lafayette, N. Y.

Children of John H. and Lavinia S. (Danforth) Northway:

1. *Hubert Danforth Northway*, b. in Sept. 1872.
2. *Ella Lucretia Northway*, b. in Sept. 1876.

ii. DAVID ORTON, b. 17 Aug. 1847; d. 4 Aug. 1865.

iii. ELLEN ROSINA, b. 2 Sept. 1849; d. 2 March, 1887; m. in May, 1869, Elmer F. Keeler, of Syracuse.

Children of Elmer F. and Ellen R. (Danforth) Keeler:

1. *Flora Emma Keeler*, b. 24 Nov. 1872.
2. *Charles Danforth Keeler*, b. 1 Aug. 1874.
3. *Caroline May Keeler*, b. 19 May, 1877.

492. iv. THEODORE THOMAS, b. 30 July, 1855.

365.

FLAVEL[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 22 Feb. 1821; married first, Harriet Parsons. He married second, Emma Linsley. Residence, Springfield, O.

366.

WILLISTON[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 7 Sept. 1823; died 23 Jan. 1843; married Harriet Plumb.

367.

JOEL[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Busti, N. Y., 23 Feb. 1829; died at Warren, Pa., 26 May, 1892; married at Warren, Pa., in May, 1860, Margaret Jane, daughter of William and Jane (McConnell) Thomas, born at Schenectady, N. Y., 23 March, 1833 (living in 1901). He was a dentist.

Children:

i. LAVINIA JANE,[9] b. in Warren, Pa., 20 Sept. 1861; d. 20 April, 1876.

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492*a*. ii. HENRY JOEL, b. in Jamestown, N. Y., 27 July, 1865.
iii. JOHN LORING, b. in Jamestown, N. Y., 13 Dec. 1868.
iv. JOSEPH THOMAS, b. in Randolph, N. Y., 12 July, 1871; D.D.S. succeeding his father.

368.

LEVI BOWEN[8] (*Joel*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 13 May, 1820; died 31 May, 1874; married Charlotte Royce. Residence, Union City, Mich.

Children:

i. SIDNEY M.[9]
ii. MARY ANTOINETTE,[7] m. Rev. Van Auken.
iii. GEORGE, res. Union City, Mich.
iv. EMILY.
v. JANE E., m. Robert Williams.
vi. EDWIN HALL.
vii. CELIA.
viii. JEANETTE.
ix. MARY LOUISA.
x. CELIA.
xi. FREDERICK BOWEN.
xii. FRANCES ELLEN.

369.

HALSEY JOEL[8] (*Joel*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 28 Aug. 1828; died in Passaic, N. J., 18 July, 1896; married 26 May, 1853, Harriet M., daughter of John Gott of Ogden, N. Y., born in Ogden, N. Y., 3 April, 1827; died 17 Dec. 1889, in N. Y. City; buried in Spencerport, (Ogden) N. Y. He once lived in Spencerport (Ogden), N. Y., and was principal of the school there. For many years res. in N. Y. City; afterwards at Passaic, N. J., till his death.

Children:

i. ELLA LOUISA,[9] b. 19 Feb. 1857; m. 2 Dec. 1881, R. Pilbeam of N. Y.

Children of R. and Ella L. (Danforth) Pilbeam:

1. *Florence Pilbeam*, b. about 1882.
2. *Bert Pilbeam*, b. about 1884.

ii. MINNIE F., b. 26 Sept. 1860; d. 23 Feb. 1881.
iii. HALSEY, b. in 1871; d. 26 Aug. 1872.

370.

JUSTIN[8] (*Thomas Paine*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born near Albany, N. Y., 14 July,

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1805; died in Ovid, Mich., 1 Sept. 1875; married in Rutledge, N. Y., 17 Nov. 1830, Delia Beals, born 28 Nov. 1809, died at Ovid, Mich., 31 July, 1892.

Children:

493. i. ASAHEL BEACH,[6] b. in Rutledge, 30 Sept. 1831.

ii. HARRIET SEDATE, b. in Columbus, Pa., 2 June, 1834; m. Edward S. Leonard, M.D. She went with her father to visit her grandfather Mr. Thomas Paine Danforth, in her early childhood, and always remembered the cordial greeting they received.

Children of Edward S. and Harriet S. (Danforth) Leonard:

1. *Deloise E. Leonard*, b. 30 Sept. 1860; m. Luella Stockton.

Children of Deloise E. and Luella (Stockton) Leonard:

(1) Hazel Leonard, b. in Belding, 11 June, 1891.

(2) Vera Leonard, b. in Corunna, 27 Dec. 1893.

(3) Edgar M. Leonard, b. Owosee, 7 July, 1896.

494. iii. VAN NESS GEORGE, b. in Columbus, Pa., 12 Sept. 1836.

495. iv. WILLARD JOHNSON, b. in Columbus, Pa., 22 May, 1841.

371.

VOLNEY[8] (*Thomas Paine*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 5 March, 1811; died 14 Feb. 1880; of Middleburgh; a physician, and a democrat; married 4 Oct. 1842, Caroline Bouck, 2 Sept. 1822.

Children:

i. ANNA,[9] b. 7 Oct. 1843; m. 30 July, 1861, E. H. Dunham.

ii. THOMAS PAINE, b. 26 Sept. 1846; d. 20 April, 1850.

iii. SARAH DONELLY, b. 15 June, 1851; m. 3 May, 1871, Truman C. Hoag.

iv. CATHARINE SAWYER, b. 4 Sept. 1854; m. [Whitacre?].

v. EMILIA, b. 4 July, 1857; m. [Whitacre?].

vi. JAMES H. ARMSBY, b. 7 Jan. 1860; d. 9 July, 1861.

372.

DAVID BECKER[8] (*Thomas Paine*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Sammuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1814; married Angeline Borst, of Middleburgh, N. Y.; died before 1864.

Children:

i. ELLA.[9]

ii. CATHARINE.

iii. HARRIET, m. Clarence Joslyn, of Oneida, N. Y.

iv. ANGELINE, m. Herbert Joslyn, of Oneida, N. Y.

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Hon. PETER SWART[8] (*George,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 19 June, 1816; died 18 July, 1892; married 10 Oct. 1839, Aurelia Lintner, only daughter of Rev. Dr. George A. and Maria (Wagner) Lintner, of Schoharie, born 17 Feb. 1820, died 1 March, 1891. They celebrated their golden wedding in 1889. Residence, Middleburgh, Scoharie co. Mr. Danforth was president of the family meeting in Boston in 1882.

He was district attorney of his native county some time; was elected state senator in 1853, and served with distinction. In 1872 he was appointed one of the justices of the Supreme Court of New York, a position which he filled acceptably.

Children:

495*a*. i. GEORGE LINTNER,[9] b. 19 July, 1844.

ii. CORNELIA SWART, b. 17 April, 1846; m. 18 May, 1870, Isaac Warde Ferris, M.D., son of Chancellor Isaac Ferris; he d. 25 Dec. 1900. Residence, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Children of Isaac W. and Cornelia S. Ferris:

1. *Mary Danforth Ferris*, b. 1 Dec. 1871.
2. *Cornelia Warde Ferris*, b. 26 Dec. 1873.

iii. MARY CAMPBELL, b. 11 April, 1848; d. 7 March, 1849.

495*b*. iv. ELLIOT, b. 6 March, 1850.

374.

Gen. GEORGE ERSKINE[8] (*George,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Middleburgh, N. Y., 5 July, 1818; married in 1852, Catharine Bouck, daughter of Governor Bouck. Educated at Union College; studied law; went into mercantile business and tanning. Col. of 40th Reg. and Gen. commanding 18th brigade of N. Y. in 1861, commissioned by the governor of New York to raise a regiment; and he delivered the 76th Regiment to the government at Arlington Heights; in 1862 organized the 134th Regiment.

Children:

i. WILLIAM C. BOUCK.[9]

ii. CHARLES.

375.

JOHN[8] (*John,*[7] *John,*[6] *John,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lynnfield, Mass., 20 Nov. 1814; died 1 Nov. 1880; married 2 May, 1839, Sarah Hawkes Perkins, born 3 Aug. 1820, died 1 Nov. 1899, at Lynnfield Centre.

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His farm was one of the largest and best in that agricultural town (Lynnfield). He was railroad station agent during nearly 25 years, and for more than that time selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, his account being kept with great exactness. He represented the town in the Legislature; was one of the trustees of the Essex County Agricultural Society. In religion a Universalist; in politics a Republican; he was a most valuable and valued citizen. He was interred in Forest Hills Cemetery, his funeral services largely attended, and obituary notices, both in prose and verse, printed in the local newspapers attest the high regard in which he was held.

Children:

i. JOHN MORTON,[9] b. 1 Jan. 1840; m. 7 June, 1866, Emily Augusta Burditt, of Wakefield, b. 16 May, 1842. Resides in Wakefield.

ii. GEORGE FORREST, b. 16 May, 1841; m. 5 June, 1872, Caroline Elizabeth Atwood, b. 1 June, 1848.; no children.

iii. SARAH ELLEN, b. 4 Oct. 1843; m. Albert Richardson Bryant; no children.

iv. MARY TAYLOR, b. 25 Nov. 1845; m. 24 Oct. 1866, Samuel Augustus Clough, who was b. 18 June, 1838.

Children of Samuel A. and Mary T. (Danforth) Clough:

1. *Eleanor Danforth Clough*, b. 17 Sept. 1867.
2. *Cyrus Putnam Clough*, b. 22 July, 1870.
3. *Ernest Allen Clough*, b. 26 April, 1873.
4. *Mary Eliza Clough*, b. 18 July, 1879.
5. *Leslie Clough*, b. 17 April, 1881.

495c. v. CHARLES HENRY, b. 1 April, 1850.

vi. HANNAH BANCROFT, b. 28 July, 1854; teacher in Lynnfield.

376.

Dr. NATHANIEL BANCROFT[8] (*John*,[7] *John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 24 Sept. 1821; resided at Salem; married in Sept. 1845, Louisa Martin; died 30 June, 1864.

377.

HENRY[8] (*John*,[7] *John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 7 Aug. 1824; married 8 Jan. 1879, Mary Ann Lawlor, born 1839.

378.

JOSEPH[8] (*Joseph*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Danvers, 14 April, 1813; married 5 April, 1842, Phebe W., daughter of John Russell, born in 1806, died 21 March, 1875. No children.

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379.

AARON FLINT[8] (*Joseph*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Danvers, 3 May, 1817; died 17 Feb. 1894; married first, 5 March, 1843, Hannah Page Stanley. He married second, 17 Nov. 1855, Susan Brown, born in Warren, N. H., in 1826; died 7 July, 1874. He was a farmer; resided at West Peabody.

Children:

i. CAROLINE PAGE,[9] b. 7 Oct. 1844; d. 12 May, 1880, at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
496. ii. AARON PORTER, b. 23 Nov. 1847.
iii. MARY LOUISE, b. in Danvers, 25 Sept. 1860.
496*a*. iv. BENJAMIN PERRY, b. in Nashua, 15 Feb. 1863.
v. JENNIE HERRICK, b. 10 Feb. 1867; m. 18 Sept. 1893, James Edmund Shaw, of Danvers.

Children:

1. *Eldridge Lester Shaw*, b. 18 Sept. 1895.
2. *Jesse Danforth Shaw*, b. 25 March, 1898.
3. *George Edmund Shaw*, b. 21 Nov. 1899.

380.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS[8] (*Joseph*[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Danvers, 7 March, 1829; served in Union army; died in Southern prison at Andersonville, Ga., 17 Aug. 1864; married 25 Nov. 1852, Catharine Donovan.

Children:

i. HANNAH BRANSVILLE,[9] b. in Middleton, 19 March, and d. 19 May, 1859.
497. ii. JOSEPH AUGUSTUS, b. 8 July, 1855.
iii. LYDIA FLINT, b. 17 March, 1857; d. 21 March, 1859.
498. iv. GEORGE EDWIN, b. 3 March, 1859.
v. HANNAH FLINT, b. 7 Oct. 1860; m. 5 Nov. 1879, Eli E. Richardson, son of Solomon and Mary E. (Styles) Richardson.

381.

JOSHUA[8] (*John*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 April, 1836; married 18 Jan. 1860, Lucy, daughter of Abram and Rebecca Gifford, born in 1841.

Child:

JASON LINCOLN,[9] b. 28 Nov. 1860; d. 9 April, 1865, in Saugus.

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STEPHEN ATWOOD[8] (*John*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 5 March, 1838; married 21 Nov. 1861, Ellen Maria, daughter of Samuel and Lois (Grover) Burrill, born in Malden.

Children:

i. STEPHEN OTIS,[9] b. in Saugus 23 Dec. 1862; d. 26 Oct. 1864.
ii. ELIZA ELLEN, b. in N. Chelsea 14 Jan. 1866.
iii. MAYNARD LORING, b. in N. Chelsea 17 Dec. 1868.
iv. CLARA AUGUSTA, b. in Revere 26 Oct. 1871.
v. STEPHEN LYMAN, b. in Saugus 27 July, 1875; d. in Saugus 21 May, 1880.

383.

HAWES ATWOOD[8] (*John*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 13 April, 1840; married 17 July, 1864, Nancy Sophia, daughter of William and Sophia (Copp) Mansfield, born in Saugus in 1837.

Children:

i. CORA MAY,[9] b. 14 Sept. 1865.
ii. WILLIAM, b. in 1867.
iii. CHARLES H., b. 24 Feb. 1869; d. 25 Jan. 1876.

384.

JOHN MUSSEY[8] (*Benjamin*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Salem, 15 March, 1826; died 17 May, 1860; married 8 Feb. 1849, Elizabeth Heaton, born 31 Nov. 1831. "Cordwainer." No children.

385.

STILLMAN AKERS[8] (*Benjamin*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Westbrook, Me., 7 March, 1828; "cordwainer"; married 18 Feb. 1849, Margaret Ann Plummer, daughter of Moses Plummer, of Raymond, Me., born in Raymond, Me., 20 Feb. 1829.

Children:

i. MOSES P.,[9] b. in Charlestown, Mass., 11 May, 1850; d. in Chicago, Ill., 10 June, 1874.
ii. GEORGE W., b. in Raymond, Me., 18 June, 1852.
iii. MARY E., b. in Raymond, Me., 25 Oct. 1854.
iv. LYDIA A., b. in Raymond, Me., 7 Nov. 1856; m. 6 Nov. 1883, Fred L. Brewer.

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v. CHARLES M., b. in Raymond, Me., 13 April, 1860; d. in Raymond, Me., 5 Feb. 1862.
vi. AURELIA B., b. in Raymond, Me., 2 March, 1863.
vii. ELLA M., b. in Boston, Mass., 3 May, 1866.

386.

BENJAMIN LAFAYETTE[8] (*Benjamin*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 29 Sept. 1830 in Portland, Me.; married 11 Nov. 1855, Lavinia Gould, daughter of Henry and Deborah (Gould) Leach, born at Raymond, Me., 8 April, 1834. No children.

387.

AMOS BLANCHARD[8] (*Benjamin*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Cape Elizabeth, Me., 26 July, 1833; died 15 March, 1863; married 1 Jan. 1855, Sarah A. Carlin, daughter of John Carlin, born in St. John, N. B., in 1835.

Child:

SARAH,[9] b. in Feb. 1861.

388.

STEPHEN BROWN[8] (*Benjamin*,[7] *Benjamin*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lynn, Mass., 14 Sept. 1840; married in Aug. 1865, Harriet Wilson; res. Chicago, Ill. (Marder, Luce & Co.)

389.

JOSHUA NOBLE[8] (*Samuel A.*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Roxbury 31 Aug. 1845; died in Boston, 7 April, 1882; married 31 Dec. 1867, Charlotte Elizabeth Ellis, daughter of Jabez Lewis and Olive Maria (Bacon) Ellis, of New York. He served in the Civil war; was commissioned lieutenant in the regular army at its close; was stationed with the 2d U. S. Infantry at Lexington, Ky.

390.

CORNELIUS DRISCOLL[8] (*Samuel A.*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Sept. 1847; married 2 July, 1877, Ella Frances, daughter of Dr. Mark and Mary E. Stephenson, of New York, born 24 Feb. 1852. Residence, Yonkers, N. Y. As a youth he went to sea, making five long voy-

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ages, —twice around the world in the clipper ship Black Hawk, visiting California, Sandwich Islands, China, Siam, St. Helena, etc., becoming second mate of the ship. Then spent four years at Mauritius, part of the time connected with the British Govt. Observatory. Returning home was a Lieutenant in the U. S. Navy, resigning after some Revenue Cutter service.

Children:

i. FRANK STEPHENSON,[9] b. in Boston 12 Dec. 1881.
ii. CORDELIA MAY, b. in Boston 16 Dec. 1886.

391.

DOUGLAS ABRAHAM[8] (*David Johnson,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 9 Nov. 1812; died 26 March, 1873; married 20 July, 1853, by Rev. Worthington Smith, D.D., Annie Leffingwell Noble, of Burlington, Vt., born 23 Dec. 1832.

Children, all but the last child born at Burlington, Vt.:

i. ANNIE BOUTON,[9] b. 6 July, 1854.
ii. WILLIAM NOBLE, b. 19 Sept. 1856; m. 7 May, 1883, Clara, dau. of Lewis Davis, of St. Elmo, Col.

Child of William N. and Clara (Davis) Danforth:

*Douglas Lewis Danforth*, b. 24 Sept. 1884. P. O. address, Romley, Chaffee co., Col.

iii. MARY, b. 17 Feb. 1859; d. 8 April, 1860.
iv. HELEN WHITE, b. 30 March, 1861.
v. LOUISA LEFFINGWELL, b. 15 Dec. 1864.
vi. MARGARET DOUGLAS, b. at Hyde Park, Ill., 31 Jan. 1871.

392.

GEORGE[8] (*David Johnson,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 24 May, 1816; died 1 April, 1850; married 25 Dec. 1845, Eliza Rowell, born 4 April, 1819, died 11 Jan. 1879.

Child:

MARTHA JULIET,[9] b. 30 Jan. 1848.

393.

WILLIAM[8] (*David Johnson,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 May, 1818; died 1 May, 1850; married 8 Jan. 1850, Aurora H., daughter of Thomas and Amanda (Gates) Hulett, of Wallingford, Vt.

Merchant at Troy, N. Y.

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Mr. Henry Danforth.

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394.

HENRY[8] (*Jonathan R.*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at St. Albans, Vt., 26 Feb. 1823; died in Washington, Ill., 10 Sept. 1900; married 12 Jan. 1845, Abigail Hathaway, of Swanton, Vt., born 7 May, 1819. He was a farmer; removed to Deer Creek and later to Washington, Ill. A man of fine qualities of mind and heart, highly esteemed and remembered with great respect. We are happy to present a portrait of his attractive, manly face. Mrs. Danforth is still active in body and mind (1902), making her home with her youngest son.

Children:

i. JONATHAN REED,[9] b. in Georgia, Vt., 19 Jan. 1847; d. at Deer Creek, 7 May, 1863.
500. ii. HENRY PORTER, b. at Deer Creek, Ill., 24 Dec. 1849.
501. iii. BYRON WALKER, b. at Deer Creek, 23 Jan. 1852.
502. iv. LEWIS JUDD, b. at Deer Creek, 13 Sept. 1858.
503. v. JAMES AUSTIN, b. at Deer Creek, 23 April, 1861.
vi. MARY AMANDA, b. 7 Sept. 1863, at Deer Creek; m. Charles C. Holland, 2 Nov. 1881; res. Washington, Ill.

Children of Charles C. and Mary A. (Danforth) Holland:

1. *Arthur C. Holland*, b. 30 Oct. 1882.
2. *Minnie Danforth Holland*, b. 20 Dec. 1884.
3. *Walter Austin Holland*, b. 6 Dec. 1890.
4. *Lawson Judd Holland*, b. 16 Jan. 1897.
5. *George Holland*, b. 14 Oct. 1898.

395.

JAMES HENRY[8] (*Henry Keyes*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born in Skaneateles, N. Y., 15 Feb. 1826; married 19 Aug. 1849, Rachel Fetters, of Lewiston, N. Y.

Children:

i. HESTER ANN,[9] b. and d. 15 June, 1850.
ii. CHARLES SCOTT, b. 30 Oct. 1864; d. 21 July, 1891.
iii. ALBERTA CORNELIA, b. 26 March, 1872.

396.

NELSON[8] (*William*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at St. Albans, Vt., 16 April, 1823; died at Neenah, Wis., 3 Feb. 1881; married Emeline J. Wilcox, born at Gaines, N. Y., 22 Dec. 1827. She resides at Lake Forest, Ill.

Child:

WILLIAM E.,[9] b. 30 April, 1868; studying for the ministry.

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RODERICK FOSTER[8] (*Charles,*[7] *Keyes,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Leroy, N. Y., 9 Oct. 1835; died in Washington, D. C., 16 Feb. 1891; married 27 April, 1857, at Cincinnati, O., Marietta Levanchia Ward, daughter of Elias and Henrietta (Davis) Ward, born in Bergen, N. Y., 18 Feb. 1836; died at Washington, D. C., 15 Aug. 1889.

He resided at Washington, D. C.; was inventor and manufacturer on an extensive scale of the well known "Danforth burning fluid" and the peculiar apparatus for using it.

Children:

504. i. CHARLES WARD,[9] b. 30 April, 1859.
505. ii. MONTGOMERY ELIAS, b. 16 Oct. 1861.
506. iii. RODERICK FOSTER, b. 12 May, 1863.
507. iv. JOHN BARTENSE, b. 29 May, 1865.

398.

BUSHNELL[8] (*Keyes,*[7] *Keyes,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Williamstown, 19 Nov. 1854; graduated from Williams College 1878; traveled in Europe in 1878; took charge of cotton mills from 1878 to 1883; in partnership with Charles H. Mather in Williamstown; representative to the Legislature in 1885; Postmaster from 1885 to 1890; now in Terra Cotta Works. Married 5 Oct. 1880, Catharine M. Mather.

Child:

ANNA LYON,[9] b. 6 June, 1883.

399.

TIMOTHY S.[8] (*Timothy,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Milford, N. H., 26 May, 1799; died 18 Sept. 1859; married in June, 1827, Mary Taylor, of Milford.

Children:

i. HARRIET,[9] b. in 1828; d. 12 June, 1829.
ii. MARY, m. Marshall H. Farnsworth; res. Cleveland.
Child of Marshall H. and Mary (Danforth) Farnsworth:
*Henry Marshall Farnsworth*, b. 4 Sept. 1861.
iii. MARGARET, m. Geo. E. Richardson; res. Nashua.
Child of Geo. E. and Margaret A. (Danforth) Richardson:
*Bertie Danforth Richardson*, b. 22 April, 1868.

507*a*. iv. JESSE C., b. in 1834.

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400.

WILLIAM NEVINS[8] (*Timothy*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Milford, N. H., 13 July, 1802; died at Amherst, N. H., 2 March, 1849; married 25 July, 1831, Lucy Wiley; resided sometime at Reading, Mass.

Children:

i. JENNY A.,[9] b. in Amherst, 4 Nov. 1839; d. unm. in Reading 7 Aug. 1882.
508. ii. ALFRED W., b. in Amherst in 1844.
509. iii. FRANK W., b. in Amherst in 1847.

401.

JOEL CROSBY[8] (*Timothy*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Milford, N. H., 14 June, 1809; died Monday, 17 Sept. 1882; removed in childhood with his parents to Amherst; till 21 worked on his father's farm, and learned whip-making, which his father established in Amherst Plain in 1827. He married 29 June, 1830, Betsey P. Andrews, daughter of Abraham and Mary C. Andrews, of Hillsboro, born 10 July, 1808, died in Oct. 1890. In 1831 went to Concord, N. H., established whip manufacture in connection with Mr. Batchelder, and continued over 30 years.

Commanded Concord Light Infantry, a somewhat noted company, and so was called Captain through life.

In 1841–1842 represented Concord in State Legislature.

From early days interested in the cause of temperance, he never in his life drank a glass of intoxicating liquor, but was an earnest worker; held various offices in temperance organizations; was at time of his death a member of Grand Encampment of Sons of Temperance.

Early interested in religion; an able discourse by Rev. Thomas Whittemore at Merrimack in 1828 brought conviction to his mind and he was one of the founders and a cordial supporter of the Universalist church in Concord, serving for many years as warden of the society, deacon of the church, and superintendent of the Sunday School. He died as he had lived, honored and beloved. His wife's death followed his by just one month.

Children:

510. i. CHARLES CARROLL,[9] b. in April, 1831.
ii. HENRY J., b. 4 July, 1833; d. 28 May, 1834.
iii. ELIZABETH A., b. 13 Aug. 1845; m. George F. Underhill, of Concord.

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CHARLES PINCKNEY[8] (*Timothy*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Milford, N. H., 16 Sept. 1812; died in Nashua 19 Oct. 1893; married 15 Sept. 1840, Nancy H. Pierce of Nashua, born 8 June, 1817. In 1813 his parents removed to Amherst; he lived on a farm until 15 years of age, and then began to work with his father in the manufacture of whips. In 1836 established in that business in Nashua and so continued until 1839, when he became owner and editor of the Nashua Gazette; during his management its influence and circulation was greatly increased. In 1845 was appointed postmaster of Nashua. In 1849 he joined with Dane and Parker in the tailoring business. In 1855 was appointed High Sheriff of Hillsboro co.; in 1865 began the manufacture of suspenders, doing an extensive and successful business. He was an influential member of the Democratic party until 1855, when the repeal of the Missouri Compromise caused him to join the Republican party, in which he continued an ardent and efficient member until his death.

During more than 53 years a constant attendant at the Universalist church, he was superintendent of its Sunday School from 1836 to 1851. He served in the city as an alderman, and was a member of the State Legislature in 1874–1875. In later years he contributed to a local journal an extremely interesting series of articles, entitled "Sixty-Six Years Political and Personal Reminiscences."

He was the first president of the Danforth Family Association and ably conducted its first three meetings. At the fourth meeting (Boston, 1882) he declined re-election, receiving a unanimous vote of thanks for his long-continued, valuable services. His death, which occurred in Nashua in Oct. 1893, was felt as a serious loss to his family, to the Association, and to the community in which he lived.

Mrs. Danforth was a near relative of President Franklin Pierce.

Children:

511. i. CHARLES BLANCHARD,[9] b. in Nashua, N. H., 30 May, 1841.
ii. FRANK PIERCE, b. 5 March, 1846; d. in Dec. 1860.
iii. ABBY HUTCHINS, b. 2 Dec. 1853; d. 7 Oct. 1872.

402.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[8] (*Benjamin Pierce*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 9 July, 1813; died at Boston 1 Feb. 1864; married first, 30 Aug. 1835, Mary E. Teehan. He married second, Rachel A. Kendricks, born in Amherst in 1828; she died 15 July, 1879.

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Child:

MARY SOPHIA,[9] b. 9 June, 1836; m, Wm. W., son of Joseph and Harriet Vaughn, b. in Woodstock, Vt., in 1832.

Child of William W. and Mary S. (Danforth) Vaughn:

*Annette H. Vaughn*; residence, Melrose, Mass.

403.

DAVID[8] (*David*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Hillsboro, N. H., in Nov. 1821; died 2 Sept. 1882; married 23 Oct. 1849, his cousin Lephe R., daughter of Benjamin Pierce Danforth, born 28 April, 1816; died 6 Jan. 1889. Passed youth on farm; attended public school; at 15 went to Boston and engaged with his cousin, Benjamin F., dealer in groceries on Western ave., now Beacon st.: then with Messrs. Ellis, grain dealers, on Long Wharf; established in trade in Lawrence, Mass. In 1864 went to Philadelphia and began manufacturing leather belting in which he established a large trade and gained high reputation. His death from heart disease was sudden and occurred while his wife was in Boston to attend meeting of the Danforth Association. His wife, who was his cousin, a lady of great energy, has continued the business, retaining the workmen under the charge of her nephew Franklin Howard Morrill. She has uniformly taken interest in progressive theology and in works of philanthropy and charity. Has attended the meetings of the Association and takes much interest in her family history.

404.

BENJAMIN PIERCE[8] (*David*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 4 May, 1831; married Pauline Weeks, of Maine.

405.

ANDREW JACKSON[8] (*David*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Antrim, N. H., 27 June, 1833; married in Boston, Mass., 2 Oct. 1855, Abby Elizabeth, daughter of John and Elizabeth Ingraham (Bicknell) Wilson; went to California three days later. Was a miner, farmer and book-keeper at Rattlesnake Bar, Newcastle, Iowa Hill and Colfax till 1869, when he became a millwright at Virginia City, Nevada, and elsewhere; has travelled extensively in the latter business, even to Mexico. Is now (1902) in Humboldt co., Nev.

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Children:

512. i. GEORGE KENDALL,[9] b. at Cottage Hill, Cal., 31 Oct. 1857.
ii. IDA.
iii. MARY ELIZABETH.

## 406.

JOHN NOURSE[8] (*Solomon*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Merrimack, N. H., 25 Dec. 1823; died at Boston 29 Aug. 1897; married 8 June, 1854, Hannah Maria, daughter of Allen and Hannah Carter (Flanders) Rhodes, of Lynn, Mass., born in Lynn 12 Oct. 1826. Left an orphan at an early age, he had a temporary home with his uncle, Daniel Fisher, of Amherst, N. H. Grad. Lowell High School. Spent three years in California in the early "fifties." Removed to Boston; was some time a member of the firm of Lee, Danforth & Co., stock brokers. A fine tenor singer, member of church choirs, Handel and Haydn Society, and other organizations; one of the founders of the Apollo Club, in which he took a leading part till ill health compelled his declining further duties, when he was made an honorary member,— a rare thing in the club's history. He died in Dublin, N. H., 28 July, 1901.

Children:

i. EMILIE CAROLINE,[9] b. 3 Dec. 1855; d. 22 Sept. 1859.
ii. CAROLINE BREWER, b. 23 March, 1859; m. 26 June, 1884, George Aaron Barton, Ph.D., b. 12 Nov. 1859, at East Farnham, Quebec; son of Daniel (b. in Vermont 19 June, 1819, d. 1 June, 1898) and Mary S. (Bull) (b. 12 Feb. 1827, d. 5 Jan. 1893) Barton.
iii. MARIE LOUISE, b. 25 Nov. 1869; m. 10 June, 1896, Calvin Gates Page, M.D., b. in Boston, 9 July, 1867; son of Calvin Gates Page, M.D. (b. Boston 3 July, 1829, d. 29 May, 1869), and Susan Haskell Keep (b. 29 Dec. 1830, d. 22 May, 1895). Residence, Boston. Mrs. Page is a portrait painter.

## 407.

CHARLES CUMMINGS[8] (*Simeon C.*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Atkinson, Me., 12 April, 1812; died in Amherst, N. H., 18 May, 1887; worked on a farm till about 1830; then to Merrimack, N. H.; 1831 to Amherst, worked at whip making for Melendy and David; removed to Reading, Mass. Married 20 Aug. 1835, at New Boston, N. H., Clarissa Caldwell, born in New Boston, 22 June, 1810; died 28 Jan. 1880, at Reading. In his will, dated 28 June, 1884, probated 24 May, 1887, he bequeated to sisters Eliza Jane, wife of Francis

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K. Boutelle, of Amherst, N. H., and Sophronia H., wife of Samuel H. Kingsbury, of Chicago, Ill.; to granddaughter Alice Danforth Eames; son Charles H. Danforth and Harriet E., wife of George Richardson, both of Reading.

Children all born in Amherst:

513. i. CHARLES HENRY,[9] b. 22 March, 1837.
ii. JOHN EDWIN, b. 24 Aug. 1840; d. 7 Jan. 1846.
iii. HARRIET E., b. 4 Dec. 1842; m. 22 Dec. 1867, George A. Richardson, of Reading, b. 19 Nov. 1843; shoe business.
Child of George A. and Harriet E. (Danforth) Richardson: *Harriet Estella Richardson*, b. in Reading, 31 Oct. 1868.
iv. JOHN EDWIN, b. 7 Jan. 1847; d. 25 Jan. 1864.
v. LOVICY ANN, b. 13 April, 1850; d. 17 May, 1878; m. 3 Feb. 1877, Charles B. Eames, of Reading.
Child of Charles B. and Lovicy A. (Danforth) Eames: *Alice Danforth Eames*, b. 13 May, 1878.

408.

DANIEL OSGOOD[8] (*Simeon C.*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Blue Hill, Me., 17 March, 1816; died in Merrimack, N. H., 31 Oct. 1883; married 24 Dec. 1840, Harriet E. Couch, daughter of Stephen and Sarah Couch, born in Manchester, N. H., 1 May, 1818; she celebrated her 83d birthday 1 May, 1901. He lived till 1830 on farm at Amherst, N. H., where all his children were born; later resided at So. Merrimack; blacksmith, farmer, and justice of the peace.

Children:

i. STEPHEN E.,[9] b. 13 Aug. 1843; d. at Fortress Monroe, 21 Nov. 1861; in 4th N. H. Regt., in Company B.
514. ii. JOHN MURRAY, b. 21 Aug. 1845.
iii. CATHERINE LOIS, b. 22 Nov. 1848; m. 29 June, 1867, James R. Carr, b. 10 May, 1841.
Child of James R. and Catherine L. (Danforth) Carr: *James Osgood Carr*, b. 24 Aug. 1872.
515. iv. GEORGE ELMER, b. 13 Nov. 1861.

409.

SOLOMON[8] (*Simeon C.*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 8 March, 1818; married first, 9 May, 1837, Sarah Joanna Field, born in 1811; died in Aug. 1843. He married second, 19 Oct. 1845, Susan Frances Field, born in 1823; died 11 July, 1847. He married third, 10 July, 1862, Amelia L.

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Crocker, born 25 May, 1822. He resided in 1880 at Winchester; removed to Lowell. Became overseer of a cotton mill; afterward became a merchant, selling musical instruments and music; was later associated with Belden Brothers, Boston, in silk business, and still later in real estate business. He was connected with the Eliot Congregational church; a Republican and prohibitionist; member of I. O. O. F. A man of sterling character, "square, pure, sincere, just." He died in Lowell 7 Dec. 1895.

Child:

ELLA SUSAN,[9] b. 23 March, 1847; teacher; residence, Cambridge.

410.

VESPASIAN[8] (*Simeon C.*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 5 Nov. 1820, in Atkinson; in 1831 went to Merrimack; 1837 to Lowell; 1849 to Lawrence. Married first, 6 May, 1849, Clara Anne Jameson, of Lowell, born 19 Dec. 1825, died in Lawrence, 29 Nov. 1858. He married second, 2 July, 1859, Caroline Maria Jameson, born in Lowell 24 Feb. 1838, died at Amherst 4 July, 1864. He married third, 5 Oct. 1865, Louisa Eliza Brown, of Spring Valley, N. Y., born 5 Nov. 1838. Residence Cambridge, Mass.

Children:

i. CLARA MARIA,[9] b. 9 Nov. 1850; d. 19 Feb. 1851.
ii. CHARLES ALVAH, b. 21 June, 1852; d. 23 Sept. 1852.
iii. IDA FLORIDA, b. 31 May, 1854; d. 9 Oct. 1866.
iv. CLARA ANNIE, b. 14 Oct. 1860; d. 5 June, 1862.
v. WALTER BROWN, b. 27 July, 1868.
vi. JAMES FRANKLIN, b. 9 Feb. 1874.

411.

SIMEON CUMMINGS[8] (*Simeon C.*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 17 May, 1824; res. Watson, Atchison co., Mo. Author of the book entitled, "Mathematical Gem." Married first at Lowell, 24 Sept. 1851, Harriet Cummings Davis, of Windsor, Vt., born 1 May, 1828; died 4 Nov. 1862. He married second, 23 Feb. 1865, Martha Robinson, of Brown co., Ohio, born 17 Dec. 1840.

Children:

i. EMELINE BELLE,[9] b. and d. 1 July, 1866.
ii. HARRIET MAY, b. 5 April, 1868; d. 8 Sept. 1868.
iii. EDWIN CLARE, } b. 22 June, 1869; { d. 14 Sept. 1869.
iv. EDNA CLARA, }
v. EVALINA ALBERTA, b. 30 April, 1873.
vi. SIMEON GUY, b. 6 Dec. 1880.

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412.

RUFUS EDMUND[8] (*Simeon C.*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Merrimack, 4 Feb. 1834; died at Keene, N. H., 28 June, 1863; married 15 Jan. 1856, Mahala J. Rand, born 21 June, 1835. She survived her husband and married second, 22 Sept. 1880, Silas T. Jacobs, born 23 Feb. 1821; shoe dealer; res. Braintree.

Children:

i. EDMUND CUMMINGS,[9] b. 20 Dec. 1856; apothecary, Providence, R. I. Married 3 June, 1885, Amelia Hazelwood.

Child:

*Avis Hazelwood*,[10] b. in Providence 12 Sept. 1887.

ii. FRANK NOURSE, b. 30 Nov. 1860; m. 2 June, 1880, Louisa R. Melville.

iii. CHARLES OSGOOD, b. 8 May, 1863; m. in Cambridge, 4 June, 1888, Caroline May Smiley; res. Cambridge.

413.

JACOB ISRAEL[8] (*Rufus*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 21 Oct. 1821; died 6 April, 1886; married 10 Aug. 1846, Harriet M., daughter of Joseph and Judith Cromack, born 3 May, 1824, died 17 March, 1900. He was a trader; resided at Newburyport.

Children:

i. FLORA A.,[9] b. 16 Aug. 1847.

ii. IRA B., b. 7 June, 1850; d. 11 Sept. 1851.

iii. CLARENCE, b. 20 Jan. 1853; d. 11 March, 1857.

516. iv. CLARENCE, b. 2 Oct. 1857.

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CALVIN H.[8] (*Rufus*,[7] *Solomon*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 Sept. 1831; married 29 Oct. 1857, Hannah B. Heath, born 25 Nov. 1833.

Child:

GEORGE S.,[9] b. 18 Nov. 1861.

414.

DANIEL WARNER[8] (*Simeon*,[7] *William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Derry, N. H., 2 March, 1812; died 1 Nov. 1884; married 13 Dec. 1846, Phebe, daughter of Dea. Nathaniel Cutler of Burlington, Mass., born 17 Aug. 1815.

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Resided at Woburn; shoemaker. He bequeathed his estate to his widow and sons. The widow died 20 May, 1888, bequeathing her property to her surviving son, D. Warner Danforth, and his three children Frank Warner, Homer Wallace and Walter Kendall Danforth; to the children of deceased son William S., viz. Emily Warren, William Wallace and Ralph Burton Danforth.

Children:

518. i. DANIEL WARNER,[9] b. 20 Oct. 1847.
ii. ANNIE PHEBE, b. in Woburn, 14 March, 1849; d. 17 Apr. 1849.
519. iii. WILLIAM SIMEON, b. in Woburn, 3 Feb. 1852.
iv. SILAS CUTLER, b. 9 Jan. 1854; d. 28 Sept. 1854.
v. LUCY GREGG, b. 18 Jan. 1856; d. 14 Dec. 1879.

## 415.

EDWIN[8] (*William*,[7] *William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 Sept. 1829; married 16 June, 1853, Frances Olivia Abbott, daughter of Gardner and Rachel (Hart) Abbott, of Andover, Mass., born 2 Sept. 1832. He went to California in early days and opened a grocery store in Benicia; had a successful career there; he and Mrs. Danforth were popular members of community and valued helpers in church and Sunday School work. He removed to San Francisco, Cal., and has for a quarter of a century conducted a bonded warehouse, the family occupying a fine social position.

Children:

i. EDWARD PUTNAM,[9] b. in N. Andover, 13 Dec. 1854; m. Jenny Tay, dau. of Geo. H. Tay, of S. F. He is associated with his father in warehouse business.

Child: *Dorothy*,[10] b. in March, 1893.

ii. FRANCES MARANTHA, b. in Benicia, Cal., 31 Jan. 1861.

## 416.

EDWARD TURNER[8] (*William*,[7] *William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 July, 1831; married 3 April, 1860, Mary Adeline, daughter of John Davis and Tamson Hayes (Hall) Pierce, of Stafford, N. H. Was several years a conductor; subsequently a machinist; residence Roxbury.

## 417.

ALONZO[8] (*William*,[7] *William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 21 July, 1837; married first, 21

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July, 1861, Louisa Jeanette, daughter of Samuel and Louisa H. Waterman, of So. Scituate, born there in 1840. He married second, 27 Feb. 1869, Sarah B., daughter of John and Hannah S. Bates, of Roxbury, born in 1844, died 21 Dec. 1869. He married third, 30 Nov. 1870, Caroline L., a sister of the latter, born 30 June, 1852.

Children:

i. ALONZO BATES,[9] b. 21 Dec. 1869; d. 14 Feb. 1899.
ii. HARRY LEWIS, b. 12 July, 1878.

418.

WILLIAM[8] (*William*,[7] *William*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 11 Aug. 1839; died at Chelsea 18 May, 1882; married 1 March, 1871, Rachel, daughter of Caleb B. and Rebecca Templeman, of St. John, N. B., born in 1850. She married second, in 1883, Nickerson S. Small, born in Brewster, Mass., in 1847.

419.

LEWIS E.[8] (*David*,[7] *Jacob*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Walpole, N. H. [Aug. 1826]; married first, at Bellows Falls, N. H., Jan. 1, 1848, Harriet Newell Putney of Westmoreland, N. H. He married second, at Eddyville, Ia., 4 Nov. 1877, Angeline Gibson. He resided at Cavendish, Vt.; Worcester, So. Wilbraham, Fitchburg and Lowell, Mass.; Manchester, N. H., and Germantown, Pa., for longer or shorter periods, gaining experience in the various departments of woolen manufacture. In 1866 he became superintendent of the woolen mills of Gugenheim, Wile & Fox, at La Porte, Ind. In 1870 he became associated with Mr. Stanly in the ownership of the woolen mills at Eddyville, Ia., where he has since resided.

Children:

519*a*. i. FRANK LEWIS,[9] b. in Lowell, 11 April, 1850.
ii. ADAH NELSON, b. in Manchester, Vt., 19 April, 1852; m. (1) in Iowa, Henry Hunter; child, Hattie Hunter, d. at 7 years of age. She m. (2) Dr. Davidson Scott; she d. at Mt. Pleasant, Ia., in March, 1887, and was buried beside her mother at Eddyville, Ia.
iii. GEORGE EUGENE, b. at Eddyville, Ia., 3 Sept. 1878; m. at Chicago, Ill., 28 March, 1900.
iv. ROBERT M., b. 15 Nov. 1880; d. 11 Feb. 1882.
v. FLORA ANGIE, b. 21 April, 1889.

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ALONZO H.[8] (*David*,[7] *Jacob*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 April, 1837, in Westminster, Vt.; married in 1862 Mary E. Laduke; divorced in 1866. He married second, 28 May, 1878, Margaret J. Fennell.

He left home at 10 years of age; worked five years for board and clothing, when 150 cts. bought "blue drilling enough for one year's dress-suits." Afterward in hotel business, doing every branch thereof from scouring knives to keeping a first class hotel at Albion, Mich. Shipped Merino sheep to Texas till 1860. In 1861 served three months in Missouri Home Guards; then went to Burlington, Vt., and enlisted in 1st Vt. Cavalry; rose to rank of 2d lieutenant. At Banks's retreat, 24 May, 1862, at Middletown, Va., led his command in a charge; was badly wounded and horse killed under him; was carried home; re-enlisted and elected captain of cavalry in Burlington, Vt.; stationed at St. Albans and detached on special service by Gov. Smith during the Fenian raid; honorably discharged at close of war, and has a pension.

Present residence, Lawrence, Kansas. Has devoted time to teaching "Rational Horsemanship" and horse training, on which subject he has published a manual.

Child:

GEORGE,[9] b. 29 Sept. 1863.

421.

DAVID[8] (*David*,[7] *Jacob*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 8 May, 1839; married Flora Putnam. Resides at Brimfield, Ill.; farmer and merchant.

422.

JACOB[8] (*David*,[7] *Jacob*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 4 July, 1843; married Esther Mullett. Resides at Brighton. An expert in matters of the care and management of horses.

423.

ALBERT[8] (*Octa*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Samuel*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born [at Hudson] 30 April, 1836; married first, Faustina Atherton, of Bolton, born in March, 1832, died 8 Jan. 1863; he married second, 19 March, 1864, Charlotte L., daughter of Reuben and Martha O. Holman, of Leominster, born 22 March, 1844.

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Children:

i. GEORGE HENRY,[9] b. 2 March, 1859.
ii. IDA FRANCES, b. 6 Nov. 1861; m. 6 Nov. 1884, Edwin F. Whitney, b. 9 Aug. 1859.

424.

ALFRED[8] (*Octa,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1838; married Anna M., daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Knight) Shattuck, of Bolton. A blacksmith. Residence, Newtonville.

425.

WALTER[8] (*Octa,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 14 March, 1845; married 28 Jan. 1865, Sarah Jane, daughter of John and Sophia Briggs, of Mt. Holly, Vt., born 23 Aug. 1844. He is a machinist.

Children:

i. CHARLES WALTER,[9] b. 8 Jan. 1866.
ii. FREDERICK, b. 20 April, 1868.
iii. HERBERT OCTA, b. 1 April, 1870.
iv. LAURA, b. 18 April, 1876.

426.

ANDREW[8] (*Octa,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1847; married 12 Aug. 1869, by Rev. R. S. Edes, Orianna, daughter of John D. and Almira B. Wyer, of Leominster, where they reside. He is a machinist.

427.

GEORGE A.[8] (*Daniel,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Troy, 2 July, 1852; married Eva L. Gleason.

428.

ABRAM[8] (*Reuben,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Nicholas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lewis (Essex Co.), N. Y., 1810; died in Plattsburg, N. Y., 1884; married Mary Stevens Flanders, daughter of Jonathan and Abigail (Walker) Flanders, born in 1818, died in 1865.

Children, all but the eldest born at Au Sable Forks, N. Y.:

i. JAMES HENRY,[9] b. in Sandy Hill, N. Y., 30 July, 1837; d. 1867; m. Augusta Collins.
ii. LOUISA MINERVA, b. 15 April, 1839; m. John Robertson.

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Child of John and Louisa M. (Danforth) Robertson:

*Margaret Robertson*, m. D. L. Bradshaw. Ch.: William L. Bradshaw; Jessie L. Bradshaw.

iii. ADELINE ELIZABETH, b. in 1841; d. in 1848.
iv. MILES REUBEN, b. in 1843: d. in 1863; killed at the battle of Bull Run.
v. MARY ETTA, b. in 1844; d. in 1858.
vi. CLARA AUGUSTA, b. in 1846; m. 12 May, 1863, William Henry Chappell; res. Plattsburg, N. Y.

Children of William H. and Clara A. (Danforth) Chappell:

1. *Carrie Marie Chappell*, b. 30 May, 1864; m. 18 Sept. 1884, Wm. Wilberforce Glover. Ch.: Wilber Chappell Glover, b. in June, 1887.
2. *Emma Louisa Chappell*, b. 27 Aug. 1870; m. 2 Sept. 1891, Geo. Marshall Cole, of Brockville, Can. Ch.: Eugene Cole, b. in 1892; Howard Chappell Cole, b. in 1893.
3. *Fanny D. Chappell*, b. 17 Sept. 1872; d. 29 Dec. 1884.

vii. WILLIAM HENRY; res. Greenpoint, N. Y.

## 429.

MYRON[8] (*Reuben*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1817; married Sylvia Freeman. Resides at Plattsburg, N. Y.

Children:

i. BELDEN.[9]
ii. HENRY.
iii. MYRON.
iv. JENNY; m. —— Durgin.

## 430.

HIRAM DOANE[8] (*Aaron Taylor*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Jan. 1823; died 22 Jan. 1885; married at Monticello, N. Y., 7 Oct. 1847, Mary Jane, daughter of Dr. Cuyler and Vina (Ford) Tanner, of Stephentown, N. Y., born 10 Feb. 1827. Residence (1888), Utica. Organ builder; later in shop of Black River R. R.

Children:

521. i. LOOMIS LEGRAND,[9] b. 15 Oct. 1849.
522. ii. FLOYD LA MOTTE, b. 30 Oct. 1851.
iii. FRANK, } b. in 1855; d. when 5 weeks old.
iv. FORD, }
v. LUCY (AMELIA), b. 7 Feb. 1858; m. 18 Jan. 1881, William Frederick Hopkins, son of William Edwin and Sophia Lucy (Curtiss) Hopkins, b. in Utica, 17 Jan. 1859. Res. with her mother.

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431.

JAMES HENRY[8] (*Azel W.*,[7] *Francis*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 26 Sept. 1840; married 27 Sept. 1865, Julia E. Marshall, daughter of William Marshall of Philadelphia, N. Y. Resided at last report on the old homestead, Philadelphia.

Children:

i. WARREN.[9]
ii. SARAH.

431*a*.

CHARLES FRANKLIN[8] (*Charles*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Orwell, O., in 1836; married Augusta Richardson Pierson, born in Northampton, Mass., 1833.

Child:

JOSEPHINE M.,[9] b. 11 March, 1874; grad. Medical Coll. 1897. Practises medicine in Cleveland, O.

432.

SYLVESTER,[8] M.D. (*Rev. William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Berkshire, Vt., 10 April, 1812; died in Boone, Ia., 3 Sept. 1881; married 28 Nov. 1832, Hannah M., daughter of Joseph and —— (Homer) Palmer, born in Pilot Mound, died at Boone, Ia., 17 Aug. 1885.

Children:

524. i. JOSEPH PALMER,[9] b. 14 Feb. 1834.
525. ii. WILLIAM VANNS, b. 27 March, 1836.
iii. PERMELIA HEPSIBETH, b. 21 Aug. 1838; m. Albert Miller; he d. in 1867. Ch.: *Harvey Roy Miller*, b. 28 Sept. 1862; m. Rose Heminger.
iv. PHEBE EBONETT, b. 30 Oct. 1840; m. in 1874, John Joseph Zenor, b. in Terre Haute, Ind., 1839. Res. Monroe, Wash.
526. v. DAVID JONATHAN, b. 12 Feb. 1842.
vi. MARY AURELIA, b. 15 Dec. 1851; m. (1) 1 Jan. 1883, George Simms, who d. 1 Aug. 1885. She m. (2) 4 Dec. 1888, Richard, son of Richard and Margaret Hennessy. Ch.: *Richard Hennessey*, b. at Bruce Corners, N. Y. Res. Monroe, Wash.
vii. REBECCA, d. in 1854 at Farmington, Wash. co., Wis.

433.

WILLIAM B.[8] (*William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Woodstock, Vt., 30 March, 1814; died in March, 1859; married 25 Dec. 1844, Christina Martin. Had four sons and one daughter, "somewhere in the west."

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434.

JONATHAN FARNSWORTH[8] (*William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Byron, N. Y., 26 Feb. 1817; died at Tacoma, Washington, before 1902; married 19 April, 1843, Emily Charlotte, daughter of David and Emily (Kendall) Klice, born 25 Aug. 1820. Resided at Reedsburg, Mich., and at Tacoma, Washington.

Children:

527. i. CLARENCE ARTHUR,[9] b. 21 Jan. 1844.
ii. FRANCES EMILY, b. 10 July, 1847; m. 14 Feb. 1869, James Montgomery Cramer, son of John P. and Elizabeth Cramer, b. 3 June, 1830.
Children of James M. and Frances E. (Danforth) Cramer:
1. *James Clifton Cramer*, b. 3 Aug. 1874.
2. *Robert Earle Cramer*, b. 2 July, 1878.
iii. CORAL HERBERT, b. 1 Jan. 1853; lawyer New Tacoma, Wash.; d. 25 Feb. 1889.
iv. HORACE GREELEY, b. 11 March, 1856; d. 24 Sept. 1863.
v. ALICE VIOLA, b. 11 April, 1861; d. 13 Oct. 1863.

435.

WILLIAM[8] (*Jonathan*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 29 Aug. 1827; died 28 Dec. 1880; married 15 Oct. 1861, Mrs. Annis O. Scribner; she died 10 Dec. 1875.

436.

QUINCY A.[8] (*Jonathan*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 19 Feb. 1841; married 14 June, 1872, Gertrude Silbernazle.

437.

JOSEPH BAKER[8] (*Joseph Baker*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 31 Aug. 1819, in Barnard, Vt.; was postmaster there under Pres. Polk; publisher of Vermont Patriot newspaper; recorder of deeds at Montpelier. In 1851 removed to Rock Island, Ill. In 1858 he was editor of the Argus and subsequently of the "Rock Islander" newspaper. Married Miss Jenny Doty, of Montpelier; she died childless. He removed to San José, Cal., and there died 1 Jan. 1896.

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Dr. Isaac Newton Danforth.

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438.

CHARLES EASTMAN[8] (*Joseph Baker*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 11 July, 1824; married 14 Oct. 1851, Matilda M., daughter of Wm. H. K. and Ann V. M. Bibby, of Paterson, N. J., born 15 Nov. 1831. Since 1894 he has been president of the Southern Railway Construction Company, residing in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Children:

i WILLIAM BIBBY,[9] b. in Paterson, 14 Oct. 1854.
ii. ELIZABETH MINA, b. in Paterson, 8 Feb. 1856; m. 15 Oct. 1885, in N. Y. City, Frank T. Richardson.
iii. CHARLES EASTMAN, b. in Hanover, N. H., 3 May, 1863; m. 10 Nov. 1890, Maggie Richardson.
iv. JOSEPHINE BOUDINOT, b. 28 Sept. 1871, in Jersey City.

439.

WILLIAM CULLEN[8] (*Joseph B.*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Barnard, Vt., 9 Feb. 1828; merchant, and Judge of County Court; married Nancy Wilbur Cox, born 2 Oct. 1830. He was one of the Vice-presidents of the Family meeting in Chicago in 1893.

Child:

NANCY ELIZABETH,[9] b. 3 Dec. 1854; m. 5 Dec. 1876, Hon. John Blaisdell Corliss, now a member of Congress from Michigan.

Children of John B. and Nancy E. (Danforth) Corliss:

1. *John Blaisdell Corliss*, b. 3 Nov. 1877.
2. *Elizabeth Danforth Corliss*, b. 1 Nov. 1881.
3. *Majorie Maria Corliss*, b. 2 Nov. 1883.

440.

ISAAC NEWTON[8] (*Albert Haller*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Barnard, Vt., 5 Nov. 1835; grad. Med. Dartmouth Coll. 1862; removed to Chicago, Ill., and began practice. Dean of Women's Medical School, N. W. University, and Prof. of Practice of Medicine; holds other eminent positions; member Association of American Physicians, Illinois Medical Society, etc. He presided at the Danforth Family Meeting in Chicago in 1893.

Dr. Danforth has written numerous technical articles on medical subjects, displaying acute discernment and broad knowledge of his profession; he has also written on the historical side of such matters,

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bringing before his readers the theories and practices of ancient practitioners, such as Dr. Samuel Fuller of the Mayflower company and Rev. Dr. John Wesley, founder of the Methodist branch of the Church. Dr. Danforth has been a most congenial friend and patron of the movement for this Danforth Genealogy. He married first, 9 June, 1869, Elizabeth Skelton, daughter of Rev. John and Esther (Drake) Skelton, of Halifax, Yorkshire, and Chicago.

"She was born in South Ouram, Eng., 30 April, 1843. When a girl of twelve years she came to the United States and removed to Chicago. In this city she attended the public schools and grad. from the high school at the age of 17. After her graduation she spent nine years as a teacher in the Brown school.

During the year in which she came to Chicago she united with the Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, and her devotion to the work of the church was unceasing. For 25 years she sang regularly in the choir. The work of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society occupied her attention more than any other department of charity, and in connection with this society she became one of the most prominent women of the city. For a number of years she held the position of vice president of the northwestern branch of the organization. During these years most of the work of the president fell to her, as the president was compelled to go to Washington. Mrs. Danforth was, therefore, virtually at the head of the greater portion of the foreign missionary work of the Methodist church, especially of its medical work.

In connection with the Wesley Hospital, Mrs. Danforth also accomplished much good. She was the prime mover in the organization of the Ladies' Hospital Association. She was a member of the Woman's Club and the Woman's West End Club. She delivered frequent addresses before Methodist assemblies of women, both in the east and in the west." (From Chicago Evening Post, Aug. 2, '95.)

The "Elizabeth Skelton Danforth Memorial Hospital" at Kiukiang, China, to whose erection and endowment near relatives contributed largely, has been established by the Methodist Foreign Missionary Society, and will keep her personality before thousands in coming years, carrying out some of her favorite purposes for the benefit of others.

He married second, 7 Jan. 1898, Mrs. Mary A. (McPherson) Barnes, widow of Dr. Norman S. Barnes, who died thirteen years before, after a number of years in the practice of medicine in Chicago.

Children:

i. WILLIAM CLARK,[9] b. 30 July, 1878.
ii. SARAH ESTHER, b. 2 Nov. 1879.

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441.

CHARLES BOSWORTH[8] (*Albert Haller,*[7] *Isaac,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Barnard, Vt., 25 Dec. 1839; married 15 June, 1864, Adaline M., daughter of Ambrose B. and Tabitha Galucia, of Dedham, born in 1837, died 1902. He is a merchant, residing in Dedham.

Children:

i. ALBERT PARKMAN,[9] b. 1 June, 1866.
ii. MARY EVANGELINE, b. in Dedham, 30 July, 1871.

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SAMUEL PARKMAN[8] (*Samuel Parkman,*[7] *Isaac,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Barnard, Vt., 27 Feb. 1838; died in Claremont, N. H., 10 June, 1866; married Mary Ball.

Child:

FREDERICK B.,[9] b. at Barnard; resides at Claremont, N. H.

442.

ALBERT HALLER[8] (*Isaac W.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1839; residence Monson.

443.

WILLIAM H.,[8] (*Isaac W.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1842; died in 1882; married Ellen L. Briggs, born at Tolland, Conn. Residence, Monson.

Child:

HARRY,[9] b. 29 April, 1880; d. in Monson.

444.

LORRISTON FRANCIS[8] (*Hosley,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *William,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 19 April, 1843; married 12 Nov. 1873, Cynthia Jane ("Jennie C.") Fox, born in New Millport, Pa., 29 Jan. 1854, daughter of David A. and Margaret (Lewis) Fox; died at Lake City, Ia., 24 Jan. 1894, beloved and lamented, especially by her church associates. [See obituary and resolutions in local paper].

The following taken from the Cedar Rapids Democrat, Oct. 29, 1892, gives some account of Mr. Danforth:

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"Away up in the 10th district, where in years gone by Democrats have been few, but to the sorrow of the Republicans are now more numerous, they selected Hon. L. F. Danforth as candidate for Presidential Elector. He was born in Pomfret, Vt., in 1843; was educated in district schools and two terms in South Woodstock Academy. In the war for the Union he served in the 4th Regt. Vt. Infantry; came to Iowa in 1846; taught school several years and then went into mercantile business in which he continues. In 1873 was member of the General Assembly and has served more than ten years as chairman of the democratic county convention and much of the change in favor of democracy that has taken place in his vicinity is due to his untiring efforts."

Adopted child:

LULU,[9] b. in 1881.

445.

ROBERT SOUTHGATE[8] (*Aro*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 22 Oct. 1828; married 3 Feb. 1859, Abbie Ellsworth. Farmer; resided at Bronson and Peru, Ohio; removed to Tacoma, Wash. Mrs. Danforth was pastor of the Kent church at Ellsworth, O., 1889–1891; afterward at Huntington; assistant pastor of the Every Day Church, Boston, Mass., and since at Tacoma, Wash.

Children:

i. VINNIE,[9] b. 27 Dec. 1859; d. in Boston 7 July, 1900; m. 22 Jan. 1878, Rev. George Landor Perin, b. in Newton, Ia., 31 July, 1854, son of Caleb and Mary J. (Metteer) Perin; he studied at Willamette Univ., Salem, Ore., and at St. Lawrence Coll., Canton, N. Y., where he grad. in 1878 (Divinity). He preached at Kent, and Bryan, O.; was called to Shawmut Universalist church, Boston, in 1882; resigned in 1890 and went as missionary to Japan. Returned to Boston in 1894 to his former parish, the name of which was changed at his instance to "The Every Day Church," an unsectarian, institutional organization.

Children of George L. and Vinnie (Danforth) Perin:

1. *Vera Perin*, b. 22 Oct. 1878; m. at the Every Day Church, 22 Jan. 1897, Ralph Edgar Lane, of Lexington.
2. *Melba Perin*, b. 13 Dec. 1880.
3. *Mary Metcalf Perin*, b. at Tokio, Japan, 15 Dec. 1891.
4. *Donald Wise Perin*, b. at Tokio, Japan, 26 Dec. 1893.
5. *Ellwood Tenney Perin*, b. in Boston, 22 Dec. 1895.

ii. LUCY, b. 20 Nov. 1863; m. 2 Sept. 1890, Rev. Elmer J. Felt, of Norwalk, O.

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Children of Elmer J. and Lucy (Danforth) Felt:

1. *Harold Danforth Felt*, b. at Peru, O., 17 Oct. 1891.
2. *Wendell Kaleel Felt*, b. at Norwalk, O., 25 March, 1894.

446.

CAPT. HORACE PERRY[8] (*Aro*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Peru, O., 17 May, 1833; married 7 Sept. 1865, Emma, daughter of Henry Thomas and Nancy Irwin (Wales) Butterworth, born 12 April, 1841. Her grand parents were Hicksite Quakers, and removed from Virginia to Ohio at an early day, on account of their anti-slavery principles. Capt. Danforth served in the War for the Union in co. H, 106 regt. Ill. Vol. Inf., in Tennessee, Mississippi and (after the fall of Vicksburg) in Western states. Has been a farmer and horticulturist. Resides at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Children:

i. ARO BUTTERWORTH,[9] b. at Peru, 17 Jan. 1867; d. at Mound City, 13 Oct. 1868.

ii. CAROLINE, b. at Mound City, 3 April, 1869; m. 22 April, 1895, Frank B. Gregg, M.D.; residence, Wellington, O. Child: Robert Danforth Gregg, b. 28 Jan. 1901.

iii. EFFIE LYNCH, b. at Butterworth Station, Warren co., O., 24 Oct. 1873; grad. Univ. of Mich.; teacher in the Misses Ely's school, in New York city.

iv. ROBERT SOUTHGATE, b. at Butterworth Station, O., 25 Dec. 1875; grad. Univ. of Mich.; residence, Mill City, Ore.

v. HENRY THOMAS, b. at Butterworth Station, O., 5 May, 1879.

447.

ALBERT PARKMAN[8] (*Isaac C.*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 Aug. 1852; died 13 May, 1892; married; was a telegraph operator at Detroit.

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## NINTH GENERATION.

450.

GEORGE HENRY[9] (*Thomas Shepard,*[8] *Thomas,*[7] *Thomas,*[6] *Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 15 Aug. 1844; married 12 Sept. 1870, Sarah H. (Grant) Wilson. Residence, Alexandria, Neb.

Child:

LOLA MAY,[10] b. 25 March, 1881.

451.

FRANCIS EUGENE[9] (*Thomas Shepard,*[8] *Thomas,*[7] *Thomas,*[6] *Samuel,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 Feb. 1851; married 15 Sept. 1878, Mrs. Annette C. (Howe) Smith, daughter of Joseph T. and Eliza D. Smith, born in Natick in 1844.

Children:

i. EDWARD ARCHER,[10] b. in Natick 16 Dec. 1879.
ii. LILLIAN JENNIE, b. in Natick 24 April, 1882.

454.

EUGENE HENRY[9] (*Henry R,*[8] *Jarvis,*[7] *William,*[6] *Oliver,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 10 Dec. 1854 in Boston; married first, 11 Feb. 1885, Priscilla P., daughter of James and Eliza Lynde, born in 1857; she died 1 Jan. 1891. He married second, 15 June, 1898, Melissa Hodgdon, widow, of East Boothbay, Me. Resides in Chelsea.

455.

JAMES HENRY[9] (*George W.,*[8] *Henry T.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Elkanah,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Sept. 1872; married 16 Oct. 1895, Daisy E. Adams.

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EUGENE GUSTAVE[9] (*B. Franklin,*[8] *Henry T.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Elkanah,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Louisiana, Mo., 17 March, 1868; married 2 March, 1892, Ida May, daughter of Sylvester Warren and Sarah Ann (Sealy) Newton, born in Shandon co., O., 10 May, 1873. Residence, Osage Mission, Kansas.

Child:

A son, born 2 Sept. 1893.

457.

J. GEORGE[9] (*Charles Lewis,*[8] *Lewis,*[7] *James,*[6] *Elkanah,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Sinclairville, N. Y., 1 Sept. 1865; married at Springlake, Dak., 1 Nov. 1887, Mary Eveline, daughter of John and Ann (Hooper) Edwards, of Yorkshire, Eng., born in Hazel Green, Wis., 22 Aug. 1869. Residence, Rockford, Ill.

Children:

i. HATTIE MAY,[10] b. in Danforth 30 Aug. 1888.
ii. JOSEPHINE ANN, b. in Rockford, Ill., 6 Oct. 1889.
iii. BESSIE, b. in Rockford 22 Sept. 1891.
iv. LILIAN, b. in Rockford 14 Dec. 1892.

458.

LEWIS EVERETT[9] (*Charles Lewis,*[8] *Lewis,*[7] *James,*[6] *Elkanah,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Sinclairville, N. Y., 10 Dec. 1868; married at Spokane Falls, Wash., in Feb. 1889, Clara M. Coy. Residence, Spokane Falls.

Child:

NINA,[10] b. in 1891.

459.

HENRY DELAPLAINE[9] (*John B.,*[8] *Joseph,*[7] *Joseph,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 7 Oct. 1840; married 17 Dec. 1872, Jane Wickliffe, daughter of William Carter and Elizabeth (Garnett) (Dickinson) Knight, born 5 June, 1846. He died of paralysis 19 Aug. 1878. He was educated at Richmond College; was a teacher from 1859 to 1861. In the Civil War he entered service in the ranks. Served under Stonewall Jackson during winter of 1861, was twice wounded at Kingstown, March 1862,

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furloughed and transferred to Martin's battery. In Feb. 1863 became 1st Lieut.; was for a brief time on Gen. Longstreet's staff, and in March joined Gen. Garnet's brigade of Pickett's division with which he continued to the end of the war acting as ordnance officer, Inspector General and Asst. Adjutant general. In 1865 as Captain of Cavalry commanded the remnant of the brigade and surrendered it at Appomatox Court House. Returning to Richmond he became in June 1865, Asst. Sec. of the Mutual Assurance Co., and on the death of his father succeeded him as Secretary thereof.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH KNIGHT,[10] b. 14 Oct. 1875; d. 31 July, 1876.
ii. JOHN BUCHANAN, b. 20 April, 1877.

## 460.

EDWARD HARSHAW[9] (*Edward Moseley,*[8] *Edward John,*[7] *Edward,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Summit, Wis. 4 Aug., 1852; educated at Allen's Grove, W. and at Oshkosh, Wis., engaged in hardware trade. He married 17 June, 1875, Ella, daughter of John F. and Sarah C. (Young) Bishop, born in Lowell 7 Feb. 1856.

Children:

i. EDWARD MOSELEY,[10] b. in Oshkosh 26 Jan. 1877.
ii. EARL, b. in Philadelphia, 13 Nov. 1881.

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GEORGE HENRY[9] (*George Henry,*[8] *Edward John,*[7] *Edward,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Thomas,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Morristown, N. J., 16 July 1868; passed his childhood in Madison, N. J.; grad. Yale Univ. 1890; resided in Switzerland for a year with the family. Returning, he was with the Am. Bank Note Co. in New York till 1894, when he went to California, where he was an assayer two years. At present he has a position with the Union Carbide Co. at Niagara Falls, N. Y. He married in Millburn, N. J., 22 Jan. 1891, Elizabeth Henderson, daughter of J. Q. Aymar and Elizabeth Ann (Henderson) Williamson of Wyoming, N. J., born in Jersey City, 25 Feb. 1864.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH HENDERSON,[10] } b. 3 Nov. 1901.
ii. GEORGE HENRY, JR.,[10] }

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REV. JAMES ROMEYN,[9] Jr. (*James R.*,[8] *Edward J.*,[7] *Edward*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Woodstock, Ill., 7 July, 1868; he was married at Mystic, Conn., 21 May, 1897, by his father, to Prudence M., eldest daughter of Samuel Cheeseboro and Sarah Catharine (Hancox) Langworthy, born 1 Sept. 1870. Grad. Amherst Coll. 1888; Yale Theol. Sem. 1891; Marburg, Germany, 1891–2; settled in Mystic, Conn., in 1892; at St. Albans, Vt., 1897; at High St. Church, Auburn, Me., 1 June, 1901.

Children:

i. CATHERINE HANCOX,[10] b. at St. Albans, Vt., 30 April, 1898.
ii. JAMES ROMEYN (third), b. at same, 8 March, 1901.

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REV. RALPH EMERSON[9] (*James R.*,[8] *Edward J.*,[7] *Edward*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Philadelphia, Pa., 1 Oct. 1877; studied in Liege, Rome and Berlin; also in Williams Coll. and Union Theol. Seminary; was ordained at Newfane, Vt., 1 Feb. 1901. He married in Jersey City, N. J., 9 Nov. 1899, Bertha, daughter of Isaac Stuart and Margaret Eliza (Fitch) Taylor, born 10 Aug. 1868.

Children:

i. STUART TAYLOR,[10] b. in Jersey City, N. J., 23 Sept. 1900.
ii. EDWARD JOSEPH, b. in Newfane, Vt., 20 Feb. 1902.

462.

EDWARD WILLIAM[9] (*John*,[8] *William*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Jersey City, 5 May, 1844; died at Hoboken, N. J., 19 June, 1890; married Anna Mary, daughter of John M. and Jemima Reeder, of Port Jervis, N. Y., born 12 March, 1843.

He enlisted with his father in 1861, and served out his time; appointed second sergeant; was afterward quartermaster. Was some time in the office of the Morris and Essex R. R. at Hoboken, N. J.

Children:

i. MARY EDNA,[10] b. in New York 10 Feb. 1872.
ii. ELLA WILCKENS, b. in New York 26 Sept. 1873.
iii. ELIZABETH REEDER, b. in Hoboken 31 May, 1876; d. at Hoboken 23 July, 1878.

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JOHN HOWARD[9] (*John*,[8] *William*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Oswego, N. Y., 4 Nov. 1854; married 8 June, 1882, Katherine C. Ingersoll, born in Cleveland, O., 25 July, 1861.

Children:

i. KATHERINE HOWARD,[10] b. in Cleveland 1 May, 1883.
ii. ARTHUR EDWARDS, b. in Cleveland 6 Nov. 1884.
iii. MARY LOUISE, b. in Cleveland 21 Feb. 1889.
iv. ELEANOR, b. in Cleveland 23 March, 1891.
v. HAROLD CURTISS, b. in Cleveland 22 Oct. 1892.

463*a*.

FREDERICK WILLIAM[9] (*Frederick Lyman*,[8] *Josiah*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Buffalo 15 July, 1860; married 22 June, 1893, Grace Wilcox, of Providence, R. I. He is a dealer in Real Estate and Mortgages in Buffalo.

Children:

i. EMMA LOUISE,[10] b. 28 Sept. 1896.
ii. FREDERICK WILCOX, b. 24 May, 1900.

464.

FRANK LOBDELL[9] (*Frederick Lyman*,[8] *Josiah*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Buffalo N. Y., 18 Aug. 1862; married first, 23 June, 1885, Susette Bertha, daughter of Wm. Hull and Jane Eliza (Tate) Barnes, born in Buffalo 13 Dec. 1863. He married second, Mrs. Augustine L. Walker. He is a real estate dealer in Buffalo.

Children:

i. CLARA BARNES,[10] b. 19 June, 1888.
ii. FREDERICK LYMAN, b. 21 Dec. 1892.

464 *a*.

WILLIAM EDGAR[9] (*Frederick L.*,[8] *Josiah*,[7] *William*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Buffalo, N. Y., 28 Sept. 1864; married 28 Sept. 1897, Edith, daughter of Walter Scott and Anna Marilla (Hines) Ovens, born in Buffalo 17 Sept. 1873. He is cashier of the Commercial Bank of Buffalo.

Child:

JANET,[10] b. 26 May, 1900.

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464 *b*.

NAHUM ELIJAH[9] (*Elijah*,[8] *Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y.; married there Florence Hendrickson. Agriculturist.

Child:

HANNAH ALICE[10]; m. Smith L. Multer.

464 *c*.

GEORGE ELMER[9] (*Sylvanus M.*,[8] *Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y.; married Romelie Hubbard. Agriculturist.

Children:

i. BLANCHE A.[10]
ii. EDNA.
iii. HARRY.
iv. LUCY.

464 *d*.

CHARLES L.[9] (*Sylvanus M.*,[8] *Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y.; married Flora Haines. Residence, St. Joseph, Mich. Painter.

Child:

ETHEL.[10]

464 *e*.

CLIFFORD G.[9] (*Sylvanus M.*,[8] *Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Jefferson, N. Y.; married Nancy Stewart. Agriculturist.

Children:

i. MABEL E.[10]
ii. "BABY."

464 *f*.

HERBERT MORTIMER[9] (*Erskine*,[8] *Nahum*,[7] *Elijah*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Athens, N. Y., 26 June, 1862; married at Milwaukee, Wis., 9 July, 1885, Lena Anna, daughter of Ludwig Pracht, born 5 Sept. 1848, at Buchenan, Kreis Biedenkopf, Preusen, Germany.

Farmer and stamp collector; clerk, letter-carrier, horticulturist, carpenter, author and inventor; resides at Benton Harbor, Mich.

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Child:

LILLIAN GRACE,[10] b. at Chicago, Ill., 13 April, 1886.

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HENRY JAY,[9] (*William A.*,[8] *Henry M.*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born 21 Nov. 1868; married 2 June, 1891, Mrs. Celia McKastern, daughter of Joseph and Susannah (Paget) Miller, born in Aurora, Ill., 9 July, 1862. Resides at Bowling Green, O.

Child:

ELWOOD MILLER,[10] b. 1 April, 1892.

466.

ALMON GEORGE,[9] (*William A.*,[8] *Henry M.*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born 24 June, 1870; died 4 March, 1899; married June 25, 1891, Helen Matilda, daughter of James and Eliza (Brookes) Wythe, born in Buffalo, 10 Dec. 1870.

Child:

ETHEL MAY,[10] b. 6 Nov. 1891.

466 *a*.

ARTHUR JEROME[9] (*William A.*,[8] *Henry M.*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 26 June, 1875; married 25 Sept. 1901, Christina Van Natter. Residence, Buffalo, N. Y.

467.

GEORGE CHESTER[9] (*Almon G.*,[8] *Asa H.*,[7] *Asa*,[6] *Elijah*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Washington, Ill., 11 Aug. 1862; grad. Chicago Law School 1882; several years cashier of his father's bank; in 1899, with his brother-in-law, Mr. McCoy, purchased the Gas and Electric Light Plants of Decatur, Ill.; sold and removed to Hammond, Ind., where he built a gas plant; sold to an association, and removed to Independence, Mo., where he owns the lighting plant.

He married 12 Sept. 1882, Peachy Bacon, of Louisville, Ky.

Children:

i. BYRON,[10] now a pupil at Armour Institute, Chicago, Ill.
ii. FRANCES Y., in school at Knoxville, Ill.

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HENRY F.[9] (*Thomas H.*,[8] *Thomas A.*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 April, 1837; married 10 Oct. 1859, Elosia T. Blaisdell, born in Nov. 1840.

Child:

NELLIE AMANDA,[10] b. 8 Jan. 1860.

468 *a*.

FRANK HOFFMAN[9] (*Thomas Henry*,[8] *Thomas A.*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born in Boston 3 Jan. 1869; married 15 Sept. 1897, Grace Elizabeth, daughter of George Henry and Mary Elizabeth (Adams) Dustin, born 20 Jan. 1871. He is a broker; residence Somerville.

Child:

MARION,[10] b. 1 June, 1900.

469.

GEORGE MARSHALL[9] (*Benjamin F.*,[8] *Benjamin F.*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Thomas*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born 19 May, 1853; farmer at Rindge; married 15 April, 1880, Emma A. Jones, of Rindge, born 19 April, 1858. The pair weighed on the wedding day, 460 pounds. He died 5 Dec. 1891.

Children:

i. MARCUS,[10] } b. 20 Jan. 1881.
ii. MABEL, }
iii. GRACE, b. 17 Sept. 1889.
iv. CLARENCE, } b. 22 May, 1891.
v. FLORENCE, }

470.

ALFRED H.[9] (*Ebenezer*,[8] *Jonathan*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born 25 Sept. 1827; married in 1851, Lucia R. Clement; residence, Hamburg, Ia.

471.

CHARLES[9] (*Ebenezer*,[8] *Jonathan*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*[4] *Jonathan*[3] *Jonathan*[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born in May, 1832; married Marcia Alexander. Residence, Ainsworth, Nebraska.

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472.

SAMUEL SALEM[9] or SAMUEL SILAS[9] (*James*,[8] *Jonathan*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 11 March, 1849; married 2 July, 1873, in Massena, N. Y., Jenny C., daughter of Henry B. and Caroline C. (Morse) White. Residence, Massena Springs, N. Y., "using part of the house built by his father 76 years ago."

Children:

i. KATE L.[10]; m. 18 Jan. 1900, James Phipps.
ii. CORA; m. 12 Feb. 1901, John P. McLean.

473.

ALBERT LEWIS[9] (*Albert G.*,[8] *Leonard*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 26 April, 1847; married Mary Ellen Stoddard, of Stamford, P. Q.

Children:

i. GEORGE ALBERT.[10]
ii. HARRY FITZGERALD.
iii. ALICE.

474.

HARVEY LEWIS[9] (*Harvey B.*,[8] *Leonard*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 28 March, 1853; married 2 Aug. 1880, Sarah L. Holmes.

474*a*.

ALBERT CALVIN[9] (*Albon James*,[8] *Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bombay, N. Y., 17 May, 1848; was educated at Fort Covington Academy; at the age of 17 enlisted in the same regiment with his father, the 14th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, and served to the end of the war. Studied for the ministry and entered the Black River Conference of the M. E. Church; is now (1902) presiding elder of Watertown District of the Northern N. Y. Conference; residing at Watertown, N. Y.

He married 11 May, 1875, Lucy Maroa, daughter of Rufus and Adeline (Wilcox) Davenport, of Malone, N. Y., born at Bangor, N. Y., 10 April, 1852.

Children:

i. GUY RUFUS,[10] b. at West Stockholm, N. Y., 12 June, 1876; grad. Univ. of Buffalo Dental College; m. 11 June, 1900, Anna B., dau. of Philip and Ida Sage, of Copenhagen, N. Y. He is a dentist in Watertown, N. Y.
ii. HARLEY ALBON, b. at Nicholsville, N. Y., 4 Dec. 1881; grad. Mexico, N. Y., High School. RESIDES with parents.

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474 *b*.

LESLIE RUSSELL[9] (*Albon James*,[8] *Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Bombay, N. Y., 29 March, 1849; married Margaret Ann, daughter of Robert and Mary Ann Black, born at Oswego, N. Y., 1 May, 1856. He is a minister of the M. E. Church, now (1902) pastor of the First Church of Haverhill, Mass.

Children:

i. MARY FRANCES,[10] b. at Quincy 8 Oct. 1873.
ii. CALVIN OTIS, b. at Fort Covington, N. Y., 20 Jan. 1876.
iii. ELLA LEETA, b. at Groveton, N. H., 9 July, 1886.
iv. LOTTIE ESTELLE, b. at Goffstown, N. H., 16 Oct. 1890; d. at Lancaster, N. H., 20 May, 1897.

474 *c*.

CHARLES WINTERS[9] (*Albon James*,[8] *Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Fort Covington, N. Y. Resides at Manchester, N. H.

474 *d*.

OTIS STANLEY[9] (*Albon James*,[8] *Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Fort Covington, N. Y. He entered the ministry of the Baptist church at Manchester, N. H., but after two years of successful work resigned and joined the Methodist Conference. He was a very popular minister, occupying prominent pulpits and much esteemed wherever he went. Attended the Chicago Danforth Family Meeting, and will be remembered with pleasure by all who saw and heard him there. He died of Bright's disease at the home of his brother, Rev. A. C. Danforth, at Clayton, N. Y., 15 Sept. 1896. He married Minnie J., daughter of George F. and Martha Marshall, of Colebrook, N. H. She survives him and resides at Brockton, Mass.

Children:

i. ANGIE MAE,[10] b. 16 Nov. 1885.
ii. RICHARD OTIS, b. 27 July, 1891; resides with his uncle, Rev. Leslie R. Danforth.

474 *e*.

WILLIAM FABER[9] (*Albon James*,[8] *Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), was some time overseer in a large cotton mill at Bedford, Mass.

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474*f*.

STANLEY FABER[9] (*Stanley Faber*,[8] *Luther*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 16 March, 1866; married, first, Susan Dingman; married second, Cora Voodar. Resides at Dexter, N. Y.

Children:

i. GORDON,[10] b. 18 March, 1898.
ii. GERTRUDE, b. Feb. 1901.

475.

CHARLES FREDERICK[9] (*Isaac*,[8] *Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married Elizabeth Darling. He is a shoe manufacturer at Bangor, Me.

Child:

JOSEPH.[10]

476.

FREDERICK[9] (*Charles*,[8] *Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 8 Feb. 1848; married 6 Dec. 1880, Caroline A. Stevens, of Pittston. He is a civil engineer. Residence, Gardiner, Me.

Children:

i. GEORGE CLAPP,[10] b. 9 Sept. 1881.
ii. MARGARET.
iii. RICHARD.

477.

GEORGE FREDERICK[9] (*Franklin*,[8] *Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 7 Sept. 1844; married 31 Dec. 1871, Emma Maria Sawyer, of Norridgewock, Me. He is a dentist at Norridgewock.

Children:

i. ALICE,[10] b. 8 June, 1874.
ii. HENRY.

478.

EDWARD FRANKLIN[9] (*Franklin*,[8] *Israel*,[7] *David*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 Sept. 1856; married Harriet Cowan, of Riverside, Me. Lawyer, Skowhegan, Me.

Children:

i. ANNIE.[10]
ii. FRANKLIN.

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HENRY GOLD[9] (*George Franklin,*[8] *Isaac,*[7] *David,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Rochester, N. Y., 14 June, 1854; grad. H. U. 1877, LL.B. 1880; married 8 Nov. 1888, Edwina Louisa, daughter of Edwin and Josephine (Hewes) Blake, of Buffalo, N. Y. He is a lawyer of large practice, residing in Rochester.

481.

GEORGE HENRY[9] (*George Henry,*[8] *Aaron,*[7] *Benjamin,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 18 Oct. 1859; married 7 Oct. 1881, Laura E. Clark, of Rockland, Me.

482.

JOSEPH FRANCIS[9] (*Joseph Varnum,*[8] *Aaron,*[7] *Benjamin,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Troy, N. H., 31 Dec. 1854; married 12 Oct. 1882, in Cincinnati, O., Elizabeth Frances, daughter of Joseph and Alice (Thomas) Folmer, born in Cincinnati, O., 1 May, 1857.

Children:

i. JOSEPHINE FRANCES,[10] b. in Cameron, Ill., 14 July, 1883.
ii. JOSEPH CHARLES, b. in Cameron, Ill., 20 July, 1885.

483.

PHINEAS ARANTHUS[9] (*Phineas Alpheus,*[8] *Robert,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Ogden, N. Y., 28 March, 1828; died at Rochester, N. Y., 6 Nov. 1874; married at Galt, Ont., 7 Oct. 1852, Elizabeth Cheeseman, born in Galt, Ont., 18 April, 1836. Mrs. Elizabeth (Cheeseman) Danforth married second, 8 June, 1882, David Rudman, of Irondequoit, Monroe co., N. Y.; he died 1 March, 1887.

Children:

i. MINERVA HEPHZIBAH,[10] b. in Galt 18 Aug. 1853; d. at Rochester 14 Feb. 1859.
ii. FRANCES ELIZA, b. at Elora, Ont., 4 Dec. 1855; m. 24 Jan. 1881, John Edward Swift, son of John Wm. and Celia (Austin) Swift, b. in Chicago, Ill., 12 Feb. 1857.
iii. JOHN ALPHEUS, b. in Gainesville, N. Y., 24 Feb. 1857; d. at Rochester 3 July, 1859.

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iv. HARRIET ELIZABETH, b. in Rochester 12 Oct. 1858; d. at Salem, Ont., 6 Nov. 1868.

v. GEORGE EDWIN, b. in Rochester 18 Feb. 1861; d. at St. Catherine's, Ont., 27 Sept. 1861.

vi. EUNICE MANNING, b. at St. Catherine's, Ont., 27 June, 1862; d. at Rochester, N. Y., 24 July, 1900; m. 31 Dec. 1883, George E. Hodges, b. in Bowdoinham, Me., 22 July, 1854. Res. Rochester.

Children of George E. and Eunice M. (Danforth) Hodges:

1. *Florence Ethel Hodges*, b. in Rochester 22 Dec. 1884.
2. *George Raymond Hodges*, b. in Rochester 7 Feb., d. 7 June, 1886.
3. *Eunice Mabel Hodges*, b. in Rochester 11 June, d. 6 Aug. 1887.
4. *Willie Hodges*, b. in Rochester 10 April, 1890; d. 10 Aug. 1890.

vii. HEPHZIBAH CROSS, b. in Salem, Ont., 12 March, 1864; m. in Rochester 16 June, 1887, John Frederic Farber, son of John Philip and Sarah Elizabeth (Ellwanger) Farber, b. 3 March, 1863. Res. Rochester.

Children of John F. and Hephzibah C. (Danforth) Farber:

1. *Elizabeth Danforth Farber*, b. in Rochester 24 June, 1888.
2. *Frederick Ellwanger Farber*, b. in Rochester 31 Dec. 1897.

viii. EVELYN, b. in Salem, Ont., 29 March, 1866; d. at Irondequoit, N. Y., 3 March, 1883.

ix. ELIZABETH, b. in Salem, Ont., 6 April, 1868; m. in Batavia, N. Y., 3 May, 1892, Shirley Nelson, son of Dwight and Anne (Pease) Osborn, b. at Newbury, O., 13 July, 1868. Residence, Cleveland, O.

Child:

*Evelyn Danforth Osborn*, b. 17 Nov. 1893.

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AUGUSTUS MELVILLE[9] (*Phineas A.*,[8] *Robert*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Rochester, N. Y., 6 July, 1831; died 8 Oct. 1890; residence, Gainesville, N. Y.; P. O., Silver Springs. He married in Gainesville, N. Y., 22 Sept. 1859, Therina Maria, daughter of Daniel and Mary E. (St. Clair) Freeman, born in Rutland, Vt., 14 Dec. 1840.

Children:

544. i. FREDERIC MORTIMER,[10] b. in Gainesville 14 Aug. 1860.
545. ii. LOUIS EDWARD, b. in Gainesville 20 Aug. 1863.

Two other children died in infancy.

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GEORGE DOUGLAS[9] (*Hiram*,[8] *Cyrus*,[7] *Samuel*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Fletcher, Vt., 16 March, 1855; farmer; P. O. address, Buck Hollow, Franklin co., Vt. Married 25 Oct. 1877, Emma Dell Rugg, born in Fairfax, Vt., 14 Feb. 1856.

Children:

i. HARLAN DOUGLAS,[10] b. 5 Oct. 1878.
ii. JENNIE BELL, b. 21 June, 1880.
iii. ALLEN ELBRIDGE, b. 29 April, 1886.
iv. HAZEL DELL, b. 3 March, 1887.
v. NINA PEARL, b. 8 Sept. 1889.
vi. INEZ JESSIE, b. at Buckhallow, Vt., 28 Sept. 1894.

485.

DANIEL SYLVESTER[9] (*Isaac Hill*,[8] *Daniel C.*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at St. Albans, Vt., 27 May, 1848; was many years conductor on Central Vt. Railway; sometime proprietor of Albion Hotel, Montreal; married 22 Jan. 1868, Eunice G. Wheeler, of Fletcher, Vt. Resides (1902) at St. Albans, Vt. Has taken great interest in Free Masonry; has attained the "33d degree" and held very high offices in the fraternity.

486.

DANA STEPHEN[9] (*Elisha Lee*,[8] *Daniel C.*,[7] *Peter*,[6] *Benjamin*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Liberty, O., 12 June, 1853; married 16 Oct. 1877, Julia Amanda Riner, born in Onarga, Ill., 2 Jan. 1859. Resides (1902) at Del Rey, Iroquois, co., Ill.

Children:

i. MARY ABBY,[10] b. 15 July, 1878; m. 25 Jan. 1900, Charles Murphy, b. 29 Aug. 1870.

Children:

1. *Vera May Murphy*, b. 19 Dec. 1900.
2. *Lela Pearl Murphy*, b. 24 Aug. 1901.

ii. ARTHUR LEE, b. 9 April, 1882.
iii. WALTER CLYDE, b. 6 Nov. 1885.
iv. RAY RINER, b. 3 Oct. 1890.

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PHILANDER GORDON[9] (*Samuel,*[8] *David,*[7] *Peter,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 25 April, 1855; married 9 April, 1887, Dora Skidmore, born 5 Dec. 1857, Mansfield, O.; painter and decorator; res. Elkhart, Ind. (1890).

488.

THOMAS CORWIN[9] (*Jeremiah Morrow,*[8] *David,*[7] *Peter,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Union co., O., 14 Sept. 1848; married 2 April, 1884, Charlotte Elizabeth Langworthy, born in Princeton, O., 8 Dec. 1861. He was for several years a school teacher, and was editor of the "Record," Red Oak, Iowa. In 1890 in mercantile business with his brother-in-law, Robert A. Linn. In 1902 merchant, and postmaster at Peoria, O.

Children:

i. POLLY ROBERTA,[10] b. 14 April, 1888.
ii. WILLETTA ELIZABETH, b. 5 May, 1889.

488*a*.

DAVID SARGENT[9] (*Jeremiah M.,*[8] *David,*[7] *Peter,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Raymond's, O., 24 Jan. 1861; married 3 April, 1884, Jenny May Tobey, born at York Centre, O., 16 Sept. 1863. He is a farmer; lived on the farm where he was born many years. After several removals resides (1902) near Marysville, O.

Children:

i. GRACE MAY,[10] b. 18 Feb. 1885.
ii. THOMAS DWIGHT, b. 22 Aug. 1889.
iii. FLORENCE MARGUERITE, b. 12 Jan. 1884.

489.

GEORGE DEXTER[9] (*Capt. Joseph,*[8] *Joseph,*[7] *Josiah,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 Jan. 1843; married 18 Nov. 1875, Ann Ella Teague, born 19 May, 1851; died 6 April, 1881. He is a miller and box manufacturer, resides at Tyngsboro. With his father he took great interest in the commencement of the Danforth Family Meetings and has rendered valuable assistance to the committee preparing this volume, in matter relating to this section of the family.

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Children:

i. JOSEPH DEXTER,[10] b. 8 Sept. 1876; } in class of 1902, Tufts
ii. CHARLES WARREN, b. 12 Aug. 1878; } College.
iii. ELLON TEAGUE, b. 5 April, 1881,—26 hours old when his mother died; has served at the Philippine Islands in Co. C., 21st U. S. Infantry; was honorably discharged 29 Jan. 1902.

490.

Rev. JAMES[9] (*James M.D.*,[8] *Josiah*,[7] *Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in New Boston, N. H., 2 July, 1846; married in July, 1884, Carolina F., daughter of Capt. Joseph Danforth (No. 351).

He was graduated at Meadville; entered the ministry and was ordained pastor of the First Parish in Dunstable 11 Nov. 1884. Resides now in Tyngsboro.

491.

OLA HENRY[9] (*Joseph Henry*,[8] *Asa*,[7] *Josiah*,[6] *Joseph*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 19 June, 1858; married 24 Oct. 1885, Annie Gray, daughter of Alexander and Mary (Barton) Gray, born in Oldtown, 1 Sept. 1858; resided formerly at North Stratford, N. H.; removed to Oldtown, Me.

Children:

i. JOSEPH HARRY,[10] b. 6 May, 1888.
ii. HERBERT GRAY, b. 9 Dec. 1889.

492.

THEODORE THOMAS[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 July, 1855; died in Walla Walla, Wash., 21 March, 1891; shoe dealer in Dunkirk, N. Y. Married 25 June, 1889, in Dunkirk, Harriet C. Fullager.

Child:

THOMAS FULLAGER,[10] b. in Dunkirk, 6 Oct. 1891.

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HENRY JOEL[9] (*Joel*,[8] *Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Jamestown, N. Y., 27 July, 1865; married at Toledo, O., 21 Sept. 1892, Alice M., daughter of Alfred and Mary Kellar, born at Sandusky, O., 30 Sept. 1868. Residence, Milwaukee, Wis.

Children:

i. RALPH KELLAR,[10] b. at Warren, Pa., 26 June, 1893.
ii. MARTHA, b. at Milwaukee, Wis., 30 Nov. 1897.

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ASAHEL BEACH[9] (*Justin,*[8] *Thomas Paine,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Rutledge, N. Y., 30 Sept. 1831; married first, 2 Sept. 1854, Sila Elizabeth West, born in Warren co., Pa., 14 Oct. 1836; died at Greenville, Mich., 3 March, 1864. He married second, at Greenville, in July 1865, Mary Ann, daughter of Garrett and Maria Sager, born in Albany, N. Y., 19 Nov. 1835. In furniture business, Ovid, Mich.

Children:

550. i. ESTELLES HORACE,[10] b. in Lamont, Mich., 2 March, 1856.
551. ii. CLARENCE WEST, b. in Greenville, Mich., 3 May, 1858.
iii. LESLIE, b. in 1860; d. in Nov. 1875; drowned, skating on Thanksgiving day.
iv. HATTIE MAUD, b. in Greenville, Mich., 27 Nov. 1867.

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VAN NESS GEORGE[9] (*Justin,*[8] *Thomas Paine,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Columbus, Pa., 12 Sept. 1836; hotel keeper and merchant, Detroit, Marion co., Oregon. Married in Greenville, Mich., 6 Dec. 1860, Lucina Almira, daughter of Isaac D. and Deborah (Church) Miller, born in Pontiac, Mich., 14 April, 1837.

Children:

i. DEWITT WESLEY,[10] b. in Greenville, Mich., 21 Jan. 1865; res. Detroit, Oregon.
ii. FLORENCE ALMA, b. in Greenville, 24 Aug. 1868; d. in Sept. 1897; m. Clyde S. Keep, 2 Dec. 1885; b. in Eckford. Mich., 21 Nov. 1860, son of Simeon Bert and Catherine (Rickner) Keep; tel. operator, Grand Ledge, Mich.

Child of Clyde S. and Florence A. (Danforth) Keep:

*Glen Allison Keep*, b. in Rodney, 26 Sept. 1886.

iii. HELEN ADELINE, b. in Evarts, Osceola co., Mich., 20 Nov. 1873; m. 12 Sept. 1893, Saxon Patten Kerr, b. in Quebec, Canada, 31 Dec. 1854, son of George A. and Margaret (Hall) Kerr.

Children of Saxon P. and Helen A. (Danforth) Kerr:

1. *George Saxon Kerr*, b, 24 Aug. 1894.
2. *Marguerite Emily Kerr*, b. 22 April, 1896.

iv. MAUDE ETHEL, b. in Greenville, 6 March, 1875; d. 12 Sept. 1875.

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WILLARD JOHNSON[9] (*Justin,*[8] *Thomas Paine,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in

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Hon. Elliott Danforth.

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Columbus, Pa., 22 May, 1841; married 17 Jan. 1872, Mary Margaret, daughter of Richard Weeks and Mary (Downs) Pierce, born at Flat Rock, Mich., 28 April, 1844. She is a physician; grad. Hahnemann Med. Coll., Chicago, Ill.; practised some time in Georgia. Is supreme medical examiner of the order of "The Ladies of the Maccabees." Residence, Port Huron, Mich.

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GEORGE LINTNER[9] (*Peter Swart,*[8] *George*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 19 July, 1844; married 15 Dec. 1869, Anita, daughter of George and Hannah (Daggett) Whitaker, of New York City. He is a lawyer, highly esteemed; has taken interest in family history, and has in his possession many ancient commissions and memorials of service. Residence, Middleburg, N. Y. He was a member of the last State Constitutional Convention.

Children:

i. ANITA,[10] b. 28 Dec. 1870; d. 5 March, 1872.
ii. GEORGE LINTNER, b. 13 Oct. 1873; d. 3 April, 1874.
iii. PIERRE WHITAKER, b. 11 July, 1875.

495 *b*.

ELLIOT[9] (*Peter Swart,*[8] *George,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 6 March, 1850; married first, 17 Dec. 1874, Ida Prince, only child of Dr. Gervis Prince, president of the First National Bank of Bainbridge; she died 5 Nov. 1895. He married second, Nov. 30, 1898, Mrs. Richard Mott Laimbeer, only daughter of James and Mary (Nesbitt) Black.

After receiving a liberal education he commenced the study of law in the office of his father, and was admitted to the bar in January, 1872. Removing to the village of Bainbridge, N. Y., in the summer of 1878, he formed a law partnership with the Hon. George H. Winsor. He was chosen a member of the committee on prizes of the New York State Bar Association, and for three years held the office of president of the village of Bainbridge, and one of the directors of the First National Bank, subsequently becoming its president. For nine years he was a member of the school board of his village. Mr. Danforth now entered into the broad field of politics. From the first his affiliations were with the Democratic party, and he came before the people as a representative of the young Democracy of the Jacksonian school. In 1880 he was a delegate to the national Democratic convention at Cincinnati,

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and in 1884 to the Democratic national convention at Chicago. Soon after the election of the Hon. Lawrence J. Fitzgerald as state treasurer, in 1885, Mr. Danforth was appointed deputy state treasurer, and was re-appointed deputy for the term of two years. On the first of October, 1889, he was unanimously nominated by the Democratic convention at Syracuse for state treasurer, and was elected to that office, receiving a plurality of 16,000 over Gen. Ira M. Hedges. He was re-elected in 1891, over the same competitor, by a plurality of nearly 50,000. In 1892 he was a delegate to the Democratic national convention held at Chicago, and strongly advocated the nomination of Senator Hill for president. In 1894 Mr. Danforth opened law offices in the Home Life Building in New York City, and has been very successful in his practice. In 1896 he was a delegate to the Democratic national convention; and at the Buffalo convention Mr. Danforth was elected chairman of the Democratic state committee, and conducted the fight in this state for the nominees of the Chicago convention. In 1897, holding the same position, he carried through the campaign which resulted in the election of Alton B. Parker to the office of chief judge of the Court of Appeals by a plurality of 67,000. In 1898 he was nominated for the office of lieut. governor, and ran 10,000 votes ahead of the ticket. In 1899 he was chairman of the executive committee of the state committee; and in 1900 was a delegate to the memorable National Convention of the Democratic party at Kansas City.

Mr. Danforth is a member of the Society of American Authors, and many of his literary addresses have been published, including the following: "The Indians of New York," "Old Schoharie," and "Mamaroneck."

Children:

i. MARY PRINCE,[10] b. 18 Nov. 1875; m. in March, 1898, Edward L. Knight.

ii. EDWARD, b. 30 Dec. 1878; N. Y. Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons, class of 1902; is to be one of the resident physicians of Bellevue Hospital after graduation.

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CHARLES HENRY[9] (*John*,[8] *John*,[7] *John*,[6] *John*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 1 April, 1850; married 24 Nov. 1875, Clara Eliza Hewes, of Lynnfield, born in Dec. 1850. Residence, Salem, Mass. In mercantile life.

Children:

i. RAYMOND HEWES,[10] b. 8 Nov. 1877.

ii. ARTHUR PERKINS, b. 19 Jan. 1879.

iii. JOHN, b. 19 Dec. 1880.

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AARON PORTER[9] (*Aaron Flint*,[8] *Joseph*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 23 Nov. 1847; married 14 Feb. 1880, Catherine Hoffman, of Chicago. He resides in Chicago; has been a conductor on an express train to Rock Island for many years.

Children:

i. STANLEY PORTER,[10] b. 20 Oct. 1881; d. 17 April, 1882.
ii. CLARA PORTER, b. in Nov. 1883.
iii. MARY LOUISE, b. in March, 1886.

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BENJAMIN PERRY[9] (*Aaron F.*,[8] *Joseph*,[7] *Joseph*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Nashua, N. H., 15 Feb. 1863; married 22 Feb. 1888, Mabel Lewis, of Lynn. Resides at West Peabody. Is a market gardener.

Children:

i. BENJAMIN LEON,[10] b. 21 Dec. 1888.
ii. ESTHER MABEL, b. 30 March, 1890.
iii. EDITH LOUISE, b. 3 March, 1895.
iv. BERNICE LILLIAN, b. 9 Dec. 1896.
v. ELBRIDGE PUTNAM, b. 21 Dec. 1898; d. 22 Oct. 1899.
vi. SUSAN ELIZABETH, b. 2 March, 1901.

497.

JOSEPH AUGUSTUS[9] (*George A.*,[8] *Joseph*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Middleton, 8 July, 1855; married 24 Nov. 1874, in Danvers, Ellen O. Driscoll, born in Ireland. Resides in Danvers. Is a gardener.

Children:

i. GEORGE AUGUSTUS,[10] b. 23 Sept. 1875; d. 8 May, 1876.
ii. JOSEPH AUGUSTUS, b. 29 July, 1877.
iii. MARY ELLEN, b. 14 May, 1879.
iv. FRANCIS EDWARD, b. 16 Nov. 1880.
v. CHARLES TIMOTHY, b. 18 Feb. 1883.
vi. WILLIAM, b. 24 Dec. 1884.
vii. JAMES, b. 2 Sept. 1886.
viii. LEO, b. in Oct. 1888.
ix. ALICE, b. in April, 1894.

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GEORGE EDWIN[9] (*George A.*,[8] *Joseph*,[7] *Joshua*,[6] *Joshua*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Middleton, 3 March, 1859; married 14 Aug. 1879, Miriam Richardson, daughter of Gustavus and Nancy Tufts, born in 1860.

Children:

i. EVA MAY,[10] b. in Middleton 25 Aug. 1880; d. 15 Sept. 1881.
ii. DORA BELLE, b. in Middleton 14 Dec. 1882.
iii. NORMAN LEROY, b. in Middleton 1 Aug. 1886.

500.

HENRY PORTER[9] (*Henry*,[8] *Jonathan R.*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Deer Creek, Ill., 24 Dec. 1849; married first, 31 Jan. 1877, Sarah Lamphere; she died 7 Sept. 1888. He married second, 11 Feb. 1893, Lucia Scott. Removed in 1872 to Fairbury, Ill. In 1893 resided at Cropsey, McLean co., Ill.

Children:

560. i. WILLIAM LESLIE,[10] b. 13 June, 1878.
ii. HENRY ALBERT, b. 15 Nov. 1881.
iii. LEROY.

501.

BYRON WALKER[9] (*Henry*,[8] *Jonathan R.*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Deer Creek, Ill., 23 Jan. 1852; went in 1873 to Fairbury, Ill.; has a farm; is engaged in stock raising; married 11 Feb. 1873, Phebe Van Camp, of Deer Creek, Ill.

Child:

NELLIE MAY,[10] b. 3 May, 1875; m. 10 March, 1897, Ira, son of John T. and Ellen H. Brown, b. 12 Oct. 1874. He is a farmer; resides at Fairbury, Ill.

Child:

*Lura Marie Brown*, b. 17 July, 1899.

502.

LEWIS JUDD[9] (*Henry*,[8] *Jonathan R.*,[7] *Jonathan*,[6] *Jonathan*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Deer Creek, Ill., 13 Sept. 1858; married 11 Jan. 1883, Julia Kingsbury, of Washington, Ill., born 22 July, 1860. Residence, Deer Creek, Ill.; he is president of the Deer Creek Bank.

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Children:

i. GEORGE HENRY,[10] b. 24 Sept. 1884.
ii. JAMES WALKER, b. 17 April, 1887.
iii. ELSIE HARLAN, b. 5 Dec. 1890.
iv. ISABELLA, b. 24 Oct. 1894.
v. MARY FLORENCE, b. 10 July, 1897.
vi. HARLAN KINGSBURY, b. 22 Aug. 1900.

503.

JAMES AUSTIN[9] (*Henry,*[8] *Jonathan R.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Deer Creek, Ill., 23 April, 1861; married, 7 Dec. 1887, Mary, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth B. Pratt, born 30 March, 1866. He is vice-president of the Deer Creek Bank.

Child:

BENJAMIN AUSTIN,[10] b. 16 Feb. 1889.

504.

CHARLES WARD[9] (*Roderick Foster,*[8] *Charles,*[7] *Keyes,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 April, 1859, at Stone Church, Genessee co., N. Y.; married in Baltimore 19 Oct. 1879, Marion Washington, daughter of Richard W. and Mary E. (Powell) Vaughan, born in Dover, Va., 22 Feb. 1860. Residence, Baltimore, Md.; in railroad business.

Children:

i. JULIA POWELL,[10] b. in Baltimore 4 Oct. 1880.
ii. CAMERON WARD, b. in Baltimore 23 May, 1882.
iii. RUTH ELIZABETH, b. in Baltimore 28 Sept. 1884.
iv. IRA HAMILTON, b. in Baltimore 17 Feb. 1888.

505.

MONTGOMERY ELIAS[9] (*Roderick Foster,*[8] *Charles,*[7] *Keyes,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Stone Church, N. Y., 16 Oct. 1861; married in Washington, 14 Dec. 1892, Mary Howe Pool, born in Bertie co., N. C., 26 Feb. 1860. (Her father, Hon. John Pool, U. S. senator 1867–1873, died 16 Aug. 1884, aged 59 years; he married 16 Dec. 1856, Elizabeth, daughter of Dr. Wm. Mebane, of Bertie co, N. C.; she died 16 Oct. 1873, aged 37.)

Residence, Washington, D. C.; manager of the Washington branch of the United States Radiator Co. of Dunkirk, N. Y.

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RODERICK FOSTER[9] (*Roderick Foster,*[8] *Charles,*[7] *Keyes,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 12 May, 1863; married Minerva Shannon, daughter of George T. and Lydia Sheldon, born 5 March, 1863. Grad. Georgetown Medical College in 1885; is a surgeon in the U. S. Navy; now stationed (1902) at Cebu, Philippine Islands.

507.

JOHN BARTENSE[9] (*Roderick Foster,*[8] *Charles,*[7] *Keyes,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 29 May, 1865; married 20 Aug. 1890, at Washington, Gertrude Eva Bee. He is manager of the Knox Express Co. of Washington, D. C.

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JESSE C.[9] (*Timothy S.,*[8] *Timothy,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in 1834; married first, Annette, daughter of Samuel W. and Elizabeth T. Walker, of Norridgewock, Me. He married second, Mary E. Walker, sister of his first wife.

Child:

GEORGE A.,[10] b. in Danbury; m. Lilla E., dan. of Charles S. and Mary Cawley, b. in Haverhill, N. H., 1858.

508.

ALFRED W.[9] (*Timothy S.,*[8] *Timothy,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Amherst, N. H., in 1844; married 8 Sept. 1873, Alice A., daughter of Daniel Eaton, born in Randolph, Vt., in 1850.

Children:

i. BERTHA EATON,[10] b. in Reading 2 Sept. 1874.
ii. PERCY RAY, b. in Reading 19 Oct. 1877.
iii. ALICE LUCY, b. in Reading 22 Nov. 1880.

509.

FRANK W.[9] (*Timothy S.,*[8] *Timothy,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Amherst, N. H., in 1847; married 14 May, 1868, Emma I., daughter of Sewall and Margaret Pierce, born in Winchester 1850.

Children:

i. ALFRED L.,[10] b. in Winchester 6 Nov. 1868.
ii. CLARENCE ARTHUR, b. at Reading 22 Dec. 1878; d. 9 Aug. 1879.

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Col. CHARLES CARROLL[9] (*Joel Crosby,*[8] *Timothy,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in April, 1831; married 23 July, 1860, Mary A. Holmes, of Nashua.

He went to Wisconsin about 1859, where he remained till 1872, when he returned to Concord, where he has since resided. Is a member of the firm of Morrill & Danforth, Insurance Agents; is connected with several insurance and investment companies. Has been a Freemason since Feb. 17, 1859, and has taken numerous degrees and honors in the fraternity. Has served the public as member and clerk of the House of Representatives; colonel on governor's staff; member constitutional convention; chairman of Police Commission of Concord, member of Pan-American Exposition commission, etc. He took an active part in several of the family meetings.

511.

CHARLES BLANCHARD[9] (*Charles Pinckney,*[8] *Timothy,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Nashua, N. H., 30 May, 1841; died of pneumonia 15 Jan. 1890; married 12 July, 1863, Frances Elizabeth, daughter of Charles W. and Lydia Church (Tripp) Adams, of Rochester, N. Y., born 24 March, 1842; died 17 Sept. 1898, and was buried beside her husband and his parents in Farm Cemetery, Hudson, N. H.

He was educated in the public schools of Nashua and Northfield Academy; learned the printer's trade and was a compositor in the offices of the "Oasis" and "Gazette," of Nashua, and was foreman and afterward city editor of the Manchester Daily Mirror. He was connected with the Boston Herald, as reporter, music and dramatic critic, and city editor, from 1861 until his death in 1890.

In the position of city editor, particularly, Mr. Danforth displayed capacity and fidelity of a high order.

The Herald's obituary notice was a fine tribute to his worth; we quote its opening lines:

"By the death of Mr. Charles B. Danforth, the Herald loses one of the oldest and most trusty members of its staff. The mere statement that he held the office of city editor on this paper for twenty-five years is sufficient proof of his capacity and fidelity."

Children:

i. CHARLES FREDERICK,[10] born in Boston 10 July, 1864. Educated at the Brimmer, Chauncy Hall and English High Schools; he

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early entered the Insurance business and is a fire inspector, working especially for the prevention of conflagrations. He is an enthusiastic sportsman and writer on angling and hunting.

ii. HELEN MARION, b. 14 Sept. 1866; died 11 Sept. 1867.

iii. FRANK PIERCE, b. 8 May 1869. He was educated at Nashua, N. H., and became a photographer. Has an establishment in Rosario, Argentine Republic; is a lecturer on South American topics; like his brother, a member of the order of the Sons of the American Revolution.

512.

GEORGE KENDALL[9] (*Andrew Jackson,*[8] *David,*[7] *David,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Cottage Hill, Cal., 31 Oct. 1857; married 25 Dec. 1882, Emma Jane, daughter of Daniel Sherman and Asenath (Cummings) Baker, of Nevada City, Cal. He learned, at an early age, the trade of mining engineer at Virginia City, Nev., and has worked at it a large part of his life; was with the St. Gothard and Nevada City mine five years. At other times has followed the business of freighting among the Sierra Nevadas. Residence, Nevada City.

Children:

i. SHERMAN EDWARD,[10] b. 4 Jan. 1884; in High School, class of 1903.

ii. GEORGE HERBERT, b. 22 Dec. 1886; learning the blacksmith's art.

iii. IDA MAY, b. 5 May, 1891; d. 10 March, 1892.

iv. NELLIE ELIZABETH, b. 16 Jan. 1895.

513.

CHARLES HENRY[9] (*Charles C.,*[8] *Simeon C.,*[7] *Solomon,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Amherst, N. H., 22 March, 1837; shoe dealer; res. Reading. Married 23 May, 1861, Sarah Frances, daughter of John and Eliza J. Lovejoy, of Amherst, born 13 Nov. 1836.

Child:

CHARLES MERRICK,[10] b. in Reading 13 Oct. 1866; d. 19 Feb. 1895; m. Nellie M. Brown, b. 16 July, 1863. She is a music teacher. Ch: *Harold Elwyn,*[11] b. 2 Oct. 1892.

514.

JOHN MURRAY[9] (*Daniel Osgood,*[8] *Simeon C.,*[7] *Solomon,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Amherst,

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N. H., 21 Aug. 1845; farmer; married in Merrimack, by his father, 16 Jan. 1878, Mrs. Sarah Angeline (Coburn) Sargent, born in Tyngsboro, 14 Oct. 1837; resides at Nashua; machinist.

Children:

i. LEON ELLSWORTH,[10] b. 22 March, 1880; grad. Nashua High School 1898; did a large corn ball business while a mere boy; is now a newspaper reporter and correspondent.
ii. RAYMOND EDWIN, b. 23 Aug. 1886.

515.

GEORGE ELMER[9] (*Daniel Osgood,*[8] *Simeon Cummings,*[7] *Solomon,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Amherst, N. H., 13 Nov. 1861; married 21 Oct. 1885, Annie P. March. Residence, Manchester, N. H.

Child:

DOROTHY.[10]

516.

CLARENCE[9] (*Jacob I.,*[8] *Rufus,*[7] *Solomon,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 2 Oct. 1857; married 31 Oct. 1881, Elizabeth N. Daniel, born 27 Jan. 1855. Resides at Newburyport.

Child:

FLOSSIE.[10]

518.

DANIEL WARNER[9] (*Daniel W.,*[8] *Simeon,*[7] *William,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 20 Oct. 1847, in Derry, N. H.; resided at Somerville. Married 25 Dec. 1873, Ione Taylor, daughter of Benjamin Franklin Taylor of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Children:

i. FRANK WARNER,[10] b. in Somerville 16 Oct. 1874.
ii. HOMER WALLACE, b. 17 Aug. 1877.
iii. WALTER KENDALL, b. 8 July, 1885.

519.

WILLIAM SIMEON[9] (*Daniel Warner,*[8] *Simeon,*[7] *William,*[6] *David,*[5] *Jacob,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 3 Feb. 1852; died at Somerville, 24 March, 1885. Married 17 April, 1877, Sarah Ann, daughter of James McFeely, of Woburn, born 27 Jan. 1856. Was discount clerk in Faneuil Hall Bank, Boston.

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Children:

i. EMILY WARREN,[10] b. 4 May, 1879.
ii. WILLIAM WALLACE, b. 4 April, 1881.
iii. RALPH BURTON, b. 30 March, 1883.

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FRANK LEWIS[9] (*Lewis E.*,[8] *David*,[7] *David*,[6] *David*,[5] *Jacob*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lowell 11 April, 1850; married at Fitchburg 19 March, 1873, Flora Victoria, daughter of Joseph Gibbs. He left High School at 15 to become a clerk in a general store; went to La Porte, Ind., after a few years and became foreman of the weaving department in a woolen mill; returned to Fitchburg in 1872, and entered the tailoring establishment of Mr. Gibbs, whose daughter he afterward married. After considerable experience in the business there and with Hollander & Co. of Boston, he removed to Chicago, Ill., where he had a leading position with the famous tailor Edward Ely three years, and then opened an establishment of his own.

521.

LOOMIS LEGRAND[9] (*Hiram Doane*,[8] *Aaron Taylor*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Monticello, N. Y., 15 Oct. 1849; married in 1874, Emma Augusta, daughter of Wolcott and Susan (Westman) Hamlin, born in Andover, N. H., 20 Sept. 1850; she is a singer of distinguished ability, and has sung much in prominent choirs; is also an excellent pianist and organist.

His early years were spent in Mohawk and in Utica, N. Y. He attended the High School and Academy in Utica from 1868 to 1871. He was in the employ of one of the large manufacturing establishments of that city, rising from a minor clerkship to the bookkeeper and cashier. He began medical study in 1871 with the late Dr. M. M. Gardner of Utica. In Oct. following he went to N. Y. City and attended lectures in the Homœopathic College. Was in the choir of the Brick church (Presbyterian), 5th Ave. and 37th Street, eight years as basso, at a good salary. In 1872–73 attended lectures in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and was graduated in 1874, and opened an office near to his present residence, and began practice in the city. Dr. Danforth was appointed in 1885, adjunct professor of Obstetrics in the N. Y. Homœopathic Medical College, and in 1889 Professor; is secretary of the faculty; attending physician of the hospital; member of the N. Y. County Med. Soc. and of the Am. Inst. of Homœopathy.

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FLOYD LA MOTTE[9] (*Hiram D.*,[8] *Aaron T.*,[7] *Isaac*,[6] *Nicholas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 30 Oct. 1851; married 3 Aug. 1880, Caroline Northrop. He is a dentist; resided in New York city in 1896.

Child:

MARGARET[10]; a school teacher at New Rochelle, N. Y.

524.

JOSEPH PALMER[9] (*Sylvester*,[8] *William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born 14 Feb. 1834; married Nancy Walker. Residence, Escanaba, Delta co., Mich. He died about 1 Jan. 1902.

Children:

i. FLORENCE VIOLA,[10] b. in Wisconsin, 21 Jan. 1853; m. 14 Feb. 1872, James Babcock; res. Harvey, Ill.

Children of James and Florence V. (Danforth) Babcock:

1. *Jennie Augusta Babcock*, b. 27 March, 1873.
2. *Hubert James Babcock*, b. 16 Feb., d. 12 Sept. 1875.
3. *Frank Jasper Babcock*, b. in Minn. 7 Aug. 1877.
4. *Arthur Roy Babcock*, b. 16 Sept. 1881.

ii. LEON.

iii. EVA ROSINA, b. in Marion, Wis., 12 March, 1858; m. in 1878, Miller Severns, of West Concord, Minn.

Children of Miller and Eva R. (Danforth) Severns:

1. *Charles Fletcher Severns*, b. in 1879.
2. *Nina Belle Severns*, b. in 1882.

iv. BYRON, b. 29 Nov. 1872; m. —— Panquette.

525.

WILLIAM VANNS[9] (*Sylvester*,[8] *William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Genesee co., N. Y. 27 March, 1836; married Elsie Bowen. Residence, Farmington, Wis.

Children:

i. MILO.[10]

ii. IDA, m. James Jeffers.

iii. MARY, m. James Sleighton.

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DAVID JONATHAN[8] (*Sylvester*,[8] *William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Byron, N. Y., 12 Feb. 1842. Resided Gladstone, Mich; removed to Fern Hill, Wash. Married Mary Perry.

Children:

i. ARUHUR WILBUR.[10]
ii. ERWIN WEBSTER.
iii. WALTER GLENN.
iv. JONATHAN.

527.

CLARENCE ARTHUR[9] (*Jonathan F.*,[8] *William*,[7] *William*,[6] *William*,[5] *Jonathan*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Byron, N. Y., 21 Jan. 1844; res. Beaver City, Neb.; was three years in the war. Has since been postmaster. Married 7 Nov. 1872, Alice Louisa, daughter of Charles C. and Emeline Ayer, of Williamsville, Erie co., N. Y.

Children:

i. FRANCIS IRVING,[10] b. 1 Sept. 1873.
ii. CAROLINE JOSEPHINE, b. 18 April, 1875.
iii. MARSHAL CORAL, b. 1 July, 1879.
iv. EDISON ARTHUR, b. 3 April, 1881.

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## TENTH GENERATION.

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### 544.

FREDERIC MORTIMER[10] (*Augustus M.,*[9] *Phinehas A.,*[8] *Robert,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Gainesville, N. Y., 14 Aug. 1860; married in Gorham, N. Y., 22 Oct. 1884, Margaret, daughter of George and Mary E. (Green) Van Anden, born in Gorham 12 March, 1854. Residence, Gainesville.

Children:

i. MARY,[11] b. 26 Aug. 1885.
ii. ELSIE MARIE, b. 30 July, 1887.

### 545.

LOUIS EDWARD[10] (*Augustus M.,*[9] *Phinehas A.,*[8] *Robert,*[7] *Samuel,*[6] *Benjamin,*[5] *Jonathan,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Gainesville, N. Y,, 20 Aug. 1863; married 7 March, 1892, Sarah Maria, sister of Margaret, his brother's wife, born 22 Aug. 1873. He is a school teacher; resides at Silver Springs, N. Y.

Children:

i. HELEN MABEL,[11] b. 27 Jan. 1895.
ii. FRED ST. CLAIR, b. 21 Jan. 1897.

### 550.

ESTELLES HORACE[10] (*Asahel Beach,*[9] *Justin,*[8] *Thomas Paine,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Lamont, Mich., 2 March, 1856; res. Detroit; house painter and decorator. Married first, 23 Sept. 1879, Ella E.,

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daughter of David and Charlotte (Cook) Egabroad, born in Ovid, Mich., 5 March, 1858; died in Chicago, 10 Dec. 1887. He married second, in Ovid, Mich., 24 Aug. 1891, Flora A. Faxon, daughter of George and Mary (Jones) Faxon, born in Oskaloosa, Iowa, 27 May, 1865.

Children:

i. CHARLOTTE ELLA,[11] b. in Ovid 7 July, 1884.
ii. JOHN, } b. 25 July, 1893; { d. 20 July, 1894.
iii. LESLIE, } { d. 4 Aug. 1893.

551.

CLARENCE WEST[10] (*Asahel Beach,*[9] *Justin,*[8] *Thomas Paine,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Thomas,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born in Greenville, Mich., 3 May, 1858; res. Owossee, Mich.; farmer and storekeeper. Married 4 Dec. 1884, Anna Belle Welch, daughter of John W. and Ida (Kinsley) Welch, born in Milwaukee, 2 April, 1860.

Children:

ii. IANTHE ELAINE,[11] b. in Ovid 27 May, 1888.
iii. MARGUERITE, b. in Bay City 8 Feb. 1891.
iv. ROBERT EARL, b. in Detroit, 16 Aug. 1894.

560.

WILLIAM LESLIE[10] (*Henry Porter,*[9] *Henry,*[8] *Jonathan R.,*[7] *Jonathan,*[6] *Jonathan,*[5] *Samuel,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *Nicholas*[1]), born at Farrsbury, Ill., 13 June, 1878; married 7 July, 1900, Margaret Ruth, daughter of Willis Edward and Mary Frances Ward, born 21 Aug. 1878.

Child:

CLARENCE WARD,[11] b. 30 Nov. 1901.

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# SECOND PART.

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# WILLIAM DANFORTH,

## AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

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# 1. WILLIAM DANFORTH,[1] OF IPSWICH AND NEWBURY.

At Ipswich, in the year 1660, there was living a young man commonly called "William Danford." How long he had resided there we cannot learn. He was at that time in the employ of William Pritchett. His name got into public records (now filed in Essex County Court, Salem) by his accompanying another young fellow, Daniel Black, to the neighboring town of Rowley, "the last day of June, 1660," and carrying a message from Black to a daughter of Edmund Bridges. The girl came to a neighbor's house, where Black tried to persuade her to become his wife, or, as the father phrased it, "made love to her." The General Court had passed stringent laws to cover such cases; so Mr. Bridges prosecuted the bold suitor for seeking his daughter's hand without his permission; and the magistrates compelled Black to pay a fine of five pounds for his conduct. William had to pay one of ten shillings for helping on the rash suitor! He was, however, in Court in a pleasanter way 29 Sept. 1663, giving testimony on behalf of Mr. Pritchett in a land case; and at that time he deposed that his age was "22 years," making his birth fall about the year 1640. Again, in 1670, his testimony as a good witness was given.

Not far from 1675 he removed to that odd corner village, Byfield, where Newbury (in which his home lay), Rowley, and Bradford shook hands, so to speak; and the rest of his life and those of several of his children seem to have been passed within hailing distance of Byfield meeting-house; so that the family is properly termed "The Newbury Family."

Jan. 9, 1675, he received 2 shillings and six pence from the town of Newbury for killing a wolf.

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William Danford, with Edmund Dear and Philip Welch, petitioned Essex County Court in June, 1678, to have possession of certain money left by William Dorton in the hands of John Ring (Rindge); they claimed that Dorton "willed that if he came not to Ipswich in the space of three years, the money should be given to four of his countrymen," namely, the three petitioners and Ring. Edward Allan, Killcrist Ross, Edward Neiland, and Elizabeth Deare gave testimony in the case; and the Court adjudged the money to the four.

He took the oath of allegiance along with other Newbury men in 1678. [Essex files, XXX, 567.]

In some way he was a "partner" of William Longfellow, ancestor of the poet Henry Wadsworth Longfellow; at least, they were both called to Court in March, 1681, for slaughtering an "oxe" and some "piggs" which were claimed by Joseph Plumer and "Robin Robinson the Scotchman"; and the Court compelled Longfellow and Danford to pay the value of the animals to Plumer and the Scotchman. [Essex Court files, VI, 26; IX, 29; XI, 82; XV, 105; and Records.] We find no later mention of our man in town records, beyond the entries of births of children except the abatement of his tax for the year 1688; and in that entry Daniel Cheney, the constable, wrote his name "William Danforth."

William married first, in Ipswich, March 20, 1670, Hannah, daughter of the pioneer Robert Kingsman, or Kinsman*; she was born in Ipswich, about 1644; was remembered in her father's will in 1664 with a legacy of forty pounds; she died in Newbury Oct. 18, 1678.

He married second (place and time not known) Sarah, daughter of Francis and Ann Thurloe,† who deeded them land Jan. 1, 1696,

* "Robert Kinsman of Ipswich" made his will 25th of Jan. 1664, bequeathing his "meddow Land at Chebacho" to his son Robert, he paying to "Isaack and Sarah Ringe the children of my daughter Mary tenn pounds apeece when they come to age"; to "my daughter Mary the wife of Usuall Wardell ten pounds and to her foure elder children Twenty shillings apeece viz. Daniel, Roger, Mary and Susan Ringe; to daughter Sarah, wife of Samuel Younglove; my four acre lott"; to daughter Hannah forty pounds; to daughter Martha, wife of Jacob Foster, 30 pounds; to daughter Tabitha, Kinsman, dwelling-house and appurtanances; to "cousin Richard Nicolls ten pounds"; to daughter Foster's child, a heifer: Son Robert Kinsman and Robert Lord executors.
Probated 28 March, 1665.

† Richard Thorla (Thorlo, Thurley, Thurloe, Thurlow), planter, settled first in Rowley, and owned land about 1640; removed to Newbury where he lived to the close of his life. He built a bridge at his own cost over Newbury river, and the General Court fixed the toll for animals 3 May, 1654. He gave part of his farm 27 Jan. 1669, to his son Thomas, which was to pass to his son Francis in case of Thomas' death. His wife, Jane, joined in the deed. The son Francis, was a capable citizen; was admitted "freeman" (*i. e.*, voter and office holder, etc.) of the Colony, 11 May, 1670. Married Feb. 5, 1665, Ann, daughter of Anthony Morse, who came in the ship James, April 5, 1635, from Marlborough, England.

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which Francis had received from his father Richard. "William Danforth, planter," and his wife Sarah, sold land in Newbury July 15, 1679; and in 1698 they sold the tract which her father had given them. The deeds give particulars of relationship and history of transfers. He sold land that had been granted to him by the proprietors 15 July, 1709; sold a wood lot 27 March, 1721.

He died after that date, but we do not find the record of either his death or that of his second wife.

Whence came this man? In what town did he open his eyes in that year to which his own testimony points us as the period of his birth—1640? Was he "Irish" as the constable's writ called him in 1660, or was that a mere guess, because Mr. Symonds and other Ipswich people had Irish servants, and any young workman not connected with town families might naturally be associated with them? The names of his "countrymen" mentioned in the probate records do not clear up the mystery.

"Danford," (Danforth), is definitely an English name; perhaps the boy's parents had gone across the channel in a former generation; or he might have spent a few years in the North of Ireland and come to America in a vessel which brought passengers from both islands. His marriages here, and the names of his children, seem to indicate that he was English; but there appears to be no means now by which his origin can positively be learned.

It will be noticed that "Danford" was a common spelling of the name, Danforth in Framlingham, the birth-place and early home of Nicholas, the Cambridge pioneer, as well as in Devon and other counties of England. "William," too, was a Christian name well known in that clan from the fifteenth century. [See pages 1–3.] So it is not at all unlikely that this youth who came to Ipswich and settled afterward at Newbury was a kinsman of the older man, Nicholas Danforth, of Cambridge, whose descendants have been the more numerous. The Cambridge and Newbury Danforth families may both be branches from the one ancient East Anglian stock.

Children:

i. [WILLIAM?]
ii. MARY, b. in Ipswich Sept. 19, 1673.
2. iii. RICHARD, b. in Newbury Jan. 31, 1679–80.
3. iv. JOHN, b. in Newbury Dec. 8, 1681.
4. v. JONATHAN, b. in Newbury May 18, 1685.
vi. THOMAS, b. in Newbury Dec. 28, 1688; d. intestate; administration of his estate was granted Feb. 24, 1723, to "his brother Joseph Danforth, cordwainer, of Newbury." The inventory showed that he had become the owner of land at "Casco Bay

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in Falmouth," etc.; was in debt to Joseph, John, Jonathan and Mary "Danford."

5. vii. FRANCIS, b. at Newbury March 15, 1691.
6. viii. JOSEPH, b. in Newbury May 12, 1694.

Perhaps "Rebecca Danforth" who m. in Newbury April 18, 1718, "Francis Otkers," was also a child of William.[1]

2.

RICHARD[2] (*William*[1]), born in Newbury 31 Jan. 1679 or 1680; married there June 30, 1702, Mary White. No other particulars of this couple have been found. Removal to some distant region or the early death of Richard would seem to be the only explanation of the entire absence of their names from the documents in which we find references to the other children of William of Newbury.

3.

JOHN[2] (*William*[1]), born in Newbury Dec. 8, 1681; died Oct. 1, 1772, "in his 93d year; he had been very helpless for a year past"; married first, wife unknown; married second (published Nov. 4, 1713), Nov. 24, 1713, Dorcas White. She was a member of the Byfield church in 1744; she died March 26, 1788, "aged 90 or 91."

He seems to have spent most or all of his life in Newbury, near the Byfield meeting-house, where part of his children were baptized (perhaps all, but not all recorded). The following deed supplies information as to the children who were living at a particular date.

"Nathaniel Danford of Contoocook, husbandman; John Danford, Jr., of Newbury, Mass., housewright; William Danford of Contoocook; Thomas Danford of Canterbury; Sarah, wife of James Head; Mary, wife of James Gibson; and Elizabeth Danford, singlewoman," joined in a deed of land in Canterbury to their brother Moses Danford of Canterbury, May 6, 1753. [Exeter, N. H. Deeds, Lib. III, p. 51].

Children:

7. i. NATHANIEL,[3] b. about 1703.
8. ii. THOMAS, b. about 1705.
9. iii. WILLIAM, b. about 1708.
10. iv. SAMUEL, b. Dec. 11, 1715.
11. v. JOHN, b. Feb. 17, 1720.
12. vi. OLIVER, b. before Dec. 24, 1720, when he and Samuel and John were baptized.
13. vii. MOSES.
viii. SARAH, m. James Head.
ix. MARY, m. James Gibson.
x. ELIZABETH.

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4.

JONATHAN[2] (*William*[1]), born in Newbury May 18, 1685; was living at the time of his brother Thomas' death in 1723–4.

It may be that he is the Jonathan Danford who became an early settler at Pennecook, N. H., along with other Newbury men. "Jonathan Danford, of Pennecook, carpenter," bought land in Canterbury, N. H., Sept. 3 1733. "Jonathan Danford, of Canterbury, carpenter," sold land in C., formerly the home lot of William Bussell, June 2, 1738.

Child:

14. JONATHAN, b. about 1730.

5.

FRANCIS[2] (*William*[1]), born in Newbury March 15, 1691; married a wife whose name has not come down to us. Removed to Arundel, otherwise called Cape Porpoise and Kennebunkport, Me. "Lived near the present dwelling of Asaph Smith"; [Hist. Kennebunkport, 1837]. Was a resident from 1732, at least, till 1758, when his wife died. His children, Enoch, Isaac, Anna, "and perhaps others," are mentioned in the history. An elevation in the town bore the name of "Danforth's Hill" till recent times, but the locality is not now known. Enoch is said to have "removed to Topsham." Of the latter part of Francis' life and of the time of his death, nothing has been learned by us.

Children:

18. i. ENOCH.[3]
19. ii. DAVID, bapt. at Rowley Dec. 31, 1727.
    iii. ANNE, bapt. at Rowley Dec. 31, 1727; m. David Hutchins, of Kennebunkport, Me.
20. iv. ISAAC, bapt. at Rowley Dec. 31, 1727.
21. v. ABNER, b. about 1744.

6.

JOSEPH[2] (*William*[1]) born 12 May, 1694; filed marriage intention 26 Oct. 1717; was married Dec. 13, 1717, to Bethiah Noyes. They joined with other heirs (not children) of Rev. Nicholas Noyes in a quitclaim deed 14 April, 1718. He bought land in Rowley in 1720, and removed thither. He signed his bond as administrator of his brother Thomas' estate in 1723 "Joseph Danford." "Joseph Danforth of Newbury," cordwainer (shoemaker), with his wife, Bethiah, sold land in Rowley in 1724; Joseph and Bethiah Danforth were members of the Byfield church in 1744; Sept. 9, 1748, still residing in Rowley, he bought land in Bradford, and soon removed thither. Bethiah, widow of Joseph late of Bradford, requested the

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appointment of "her only son Eliphalet," of Bradford, as administrator of the estate of her husband, 2 May, 1753"; and "Eliphalet Danforth," as he signed himself, gave bonds for the performance of the trust, five days later. "Mr. John Sarl [Searle] and Mrs. Bethiah Danford of Bradford" filed marriage intention in Rowley May 15, 1756. Bethiah Danforth married at Byfield 6 Nov. 1756, Joseph Flood, jr. "Joseph Danforth wife," died "April, '98."

Children:

21. i. ELIPHALET,[3] b. in 1718 (date not given in the record); bapt. Aug. 24, 1718.
    ii. "A child," bapt. Sept. 4, 1720.
    iii. STEPHEN, bapt. Dec. 20, 1722.
    iv. SARAH, b. 23, bapt. 29 June, 1729; m. in Bradford, Nov. 6, 1750, David Pearsons, Jr., of Newbury.

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## THIRD GENERATION.

### 7.

NATHANIEL[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), born about 1703; married in Boxford Oct. 18, 1724, Priscilla Wycom. He was baptized, "an adult person,"—in Rowley, Dec. 3, 1727, and his children Eunice and Nathaniel were baptized the same day. He removed, as we learn from land transfers, to Contoocook, N. H., before 1741.* He was a farmer. He was one of the Contoocook soldiers who petitioned for John Rollin to be commissioned as a captain Nov. 29, 1743. Also one of the petitioners for protection from Indians, March 20, 1755. Removed to Boscawen before 1766.

Children:

    i. EUNICE,[4] bapt. Dec. 3, 1727.
24. ii. NATHANIEL, bapt. the same day.
25. iii. STEPHEN, bapt. Oct. 5, 1729.
    iv. JOHN, or JONATHAN, b. in Boxford (Georgetown), Jan. 14; bapt. Feb. 3, d. Feb. 14, 1744-5.
    v. HEPHZIBAH, bapt. Feb. 22, 1746-7.

### 8.

THOMAS[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Newbury about 1705; removed to Canterbury, N. H. He was one of the "inhabitants of Rumford, Canterbury and Contoocook," who petitioned for a guard

* "Nathaniel Danforth of Contoocook, adjoining Rumford," sold land in Contoocook, May 12, 1741, which he had purchased of Thomas Webster, one of the patentees of the township.

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against the Indians Jan. 2, 1747. [N. H. State Papers.] With his brothers and sisters, he deeded land to his brother Moses 6 May, 1753. He, of Canterbury, bought forty acres of land in Canterbury Nov. 16, 1756; sold land there Sept. 27, 1758; and June 10, 1761, bought land in New Holderness, N. H., and sold land in Canterbury April 8, 1762, "which Capt. Josiah Miles purchased of Capt. Jeremiah Clough."

Thomas Danford, *Jr.*, was a soldier in Col. Timothy Bedel's regiment, March 5, 1776. He marched in Capt. Taylor's company of Col. Stickney's regiment, from Sanbornton, N. H., "engaged, July 22, 1777." [N. H. Rev. Rolls, Vols. XI. and XIV.] Thomas, Jr., was one of the selectmen of Eaton, N. H., in 1793. [State Papers XII.] Thomas Danford, of Stafford co., N. H., aged "77," was receiving a pension of $96.00 per annum, as reported in 1834.

Child:

28. THOMAS, JR.,[4] b. about 1757.

9.

WILLIAM[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), was a settler at Boscawen, N. H., as early as 1733; aided in the erection of the first saw-mill. Owned at one time the mill at the head of King Street. He married a sister of Richard Flood, one of the first settlers of the town. [History of Boscawen.] He was one of the "Contoocook" soldiers who petitioned Governor Wentworth, Nov. 29, 1743, to give John Rollins a captain's commission. [N. H. Town Papers X.]

Children:

32. i. WILLIAM,[4] b. 18 Aug. 1748.
33. ii. JEDIDIAH.
iii. MARY; m. John Jackson, or Jackman.
iv. SUSAN; m. Nathan Corser; he d. about 1800; no children.

10.

SAMUEL[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), born 11 Dec. 1715; died 26 Aug. 1800; married, 13 (or 23) Jan. 1737, Mehitable, daughter of Joseph and Abigail (Pearson) Brown, born in 1715, died in Oct. 1794. He was by occupation, a millwright and farmer. Resided in Rowley. He sold half his homestead to his son Joseph, 7 Aug. 1765. He gave certain lands to his daughter Elizabeth, July 4, 1786, placing them in care of his son Joseph, who secured the same to her by bond the same day.

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Children:

i. and ii. Twin daughters, b. and d. in 1737.

35. iii. JOSEPH,[4] b. 31 Oct., bapt. Nov. 5, 1738.

iv. EUNICE, b. 6 March, bapt. 8th, 1740-1; d. 9 May, 1763; m. Aug. 1757, Stephen Brown.

v. LOIS, b. 19, bapt. 26 June, 1743; m. 16 July, 1765, John Colman.

vi. RUTH, b. April 30, bapt. May 5, 1745; d. 6 or 8 Feb. 1811; m. April 11, 1765, Abner Woodman.

vii. ANNA (NANCY), b. June 7, 1751, bapt. same day; d. Nov. 12, 1754.

viii. ANNA, b. 25 Sept. 1755; m. (1) May 23, 1779, Joseph Downer; m. (2) 11 March, 1792, Josiah Carr.

ix. ELIZABETH, b. 25 Sept. 1755; d. 3 April, 1843, unm., "aged 87 years."

## 11.

JOHN[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), born 7 Feb. 1720; died 26 Aug. 1800; marriage intention 20 Sept. 1735, with "Abigail Fitts, of Newbury"; marriage recorded 11 Nov. 1735, with "Elizabeth Fitts of Newbury." This was a slip of the clerk's pen, for the record shows that "Abigail Danforth, widow of John Danforth, who belonged to Canterbury, N. H.," died in Byfield, Sept. 10, 1781, "aged 58 years." He lived in Newbury at the signing of the family deed (See in No. 3), in 1753; but afterward removed to Canterbury, N. H.* He was a signer with Samuel and others of Canterbury, of a petition for the incorporation of the north-east part of the town, afterward called Loudon.

Children:

i. BETHYA,[4] "of John Danforth, Jr.," bapt. at Byfield, Oct. 17, 1736; m. July 1, 1756, Joseph Flood. [County Records.]

38. ii. SAMUEL, bapt. March 19, 1737–8.

iii. MARY, bapt. Oct. 26, 1740.

iv. JANE, bapt. Jan. 17, 1741–2.

v. MARY, bapt. July 6, 1746; "the last child in the old meeting house" [Byfield Church Records].

vi. DORCAS, bapt. March 26, 1749.

39. vii. ELKANAH, bapt. 5 May, 1751.

viii. LYDIA, bapt. Dec. 3, 1752.

## 12.

OLIVER[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Newbury, bapt. Dec. 24, 1727; married there Oct. 14, 1756, Anna Stickney. She was bapt. in Byfield church Sept. 25, 1757; died in Nov. 1800.

* "John Danford 3d, published his intention of marriage with Mercy Coffin, in Newbury 21 Jan. 1763; and the bans were forbid by Mercy Coffin."
John Danford Jr. married Mercy Martin Sept. 4, 1766.

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Children:

41. i. ENOCH,[4] b. in Newbury; bapt. in Byfield church May 17, 1761.
ii. PAUL, bapt. Nov. 25, 1764; d. Oct. 22, 1765.
41. iii. PAUL, bapt. Oct. 5, 1766.

13.

MOSES[3] (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Newbury about 1728; removed to New Hampshire as a child, with his parents. Made his home in Canterbury; was one of "the inhabitants of Rumford, Canterbury and Contoocook" who petitioned for a guard against the Indians Jan. 2, 1747. He received in 1753 a deed of land from his brothers and sisters, which gives much information about the family; it is given in the article upon his father (No. 3). He sold land in C. which had formerly belonged to William Bussell May 18, 1753. He sold other lands there in 1763 and 1770, his wife Mary signing the latter with him. Moses Danforth of Boscawen, husbandman, with Mary, his wife, sold land in B. July 28, 1763. The same persons, of "Sanbornton," sold land in S., "laid out to the original right of Josiah Sanborn," May 8, 1770. He was enrolled as one of "Jere Clough's Scouts," mentioned in N. H. State Papers, in 1745, who doubtless did important work in protecting the settlers against the Indians. Signed a town petition in 1764. Either he or his son of the same name was a petitioner among Sanbornton people in 1786, for relief from burdensome taxation. At all events it is he who, "of Sanbornton," bought land there Sept. 28, 1767. See article upon the son Moses, No. 44. He married Mary (Molly) Flood; she died Dec. 11, 1815. [Hist. Sanbornton].

Children:

42. i. MOSES,[4] b. about 1754.
ii. JEREMIAH; a soldier in the train band of Canterbury, N. H. [1777]. [N. H. State Rolls XII.]
43. iii. EZEKIEL.
44. iv. HENRY.
v. JANE.
vi. LOIS.
vii. EUNICE.
viii. SUSAN.

14.

JONATHAN[3] (*Jonathan*,[2] *William*[1]), born at Meredith, N. H., about 1730 [conjectural]; Jonathan Danford was a soldier in Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co. of militia, raised in Meredith, N. H., and adjacent towns, "that marched to the relief of Ticonderoga July 7, 1777. The same was enrolled with Thomas Danford, Jr. and

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marched from Sanbornton, N. H. July 22, 1777, in Capt. Taylor's co. of Col. Stickney's regt. on a second expedition to Ticonderoga. [N. H. Rev. Rolls].

Children:

[This list has been given in fragments and perhaps incorrectly combined].

45. i. JONATHAN,[4] b. Dec. 23, 1757.
ii. ENOCH, b. in 1759; d. at Meredith Village, N. H.
iii. STEPHEN; res. Waterville, N. H.
iv. NATHANIEL; res. near Campton, N. H.
46. v. NOAH.
vi. ABIAH.
vii. SALLY; m. —— Foss; res. near Campton, N. H.
47. viii. EBENEZER, b. May 3, 1785.

## 18.

ENOCH[3] (*Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Rowley (Byfield); removed with his father to Arundel (Cape Porpoise, now Kennebunkport) Me. Witnessed the will of John Smith of A. April 7, 1748. Removed to Topsham and later to Brunswick, Me. His children afterwards made their home at Pownalborough (since called Wiscasset), a little farther east.

"Enoch Danford, of Brunswick, Me." was one of the sureties of Samuel Wilson, of Little River, administrator of the estate of Robert Wilson, of Topsham, Me. April 12, 1783.

Enoch Danford was a mariner on the ship "Vengence" commanded by Capt. Thomas; engaged June 27, 1779, discharged Aug. 27, 1779; service two months on the Penobscot expedition. Roll sworn to in Suffolk county. We find no other man to whom this record is applicable, for the son Enoch was at this time doing duty in the army. So we conclude that the father, although as much as fifty-two years old, was the sailor here described.

Children:

50. i. ENOCH, JR.[4]
ii. SARAH; m. at Pownalborough (published June 3, 1764) John Albee, of Freetown, Me.
51. iii. JOSHUA.
iv. ABIGAIL; m. at Pownalborough Nov. 18, 1773, Joseph Lowell.
52. v. DAVID.
vi. DEBORAH; m. at P. (published Aug. 16, 1760) Jacob Metcalf.
53. vii. DANIEL.
viii. MARY; m. at P. June 1, 1772, Thomas Rines, of Jeremy Squam Island.
54. ix. PAUL; m. at P. (published Oct. 31, 1795) Betsey Light, of the same place.

N.B. Compare this record with that of Paul, son of Oliver.[3]

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21.

ABNER,[3] (*Francis*[2] *William*[1]), born probably at Arundel, Me.; seems to have gone to Bradford during the Revolutionary War and there enlisted; for we know no other person to whom the record here given can apply; he served in the Revolution*, and, residing in "Lincoln co." (Me.) "aged 74,"† received a pension of $96.00 per annum for "service in the Massachusetts line" from the year 1818. He resided at Harpswell, close by Brunswick, at the beginning of the last century, and in 1882 removed to Litchfield, Me., and settled on a farm recently occupied by Asa Nutting, Ensign and Alanson Danforth, on Oak Kill. The family have kept the tradition that he came from Massachusetts; resided at one time in Topsham, Me.; whence he removed to Litchfield; that he was a grandson of Francis Danforth who lived at one time at Kennebunkport, Me.; and that he was born about the year 1760.

At this stage of the investigation it is not absolutely certain that we have placed him in the right generation or family; but strong probabilities point to the place assigned him. His wife was Lucretia. This we learn from a record in the town books of Brunswick, giving the marriage of their son Moses in the year 1807, and stating his birth-date and parentage.

Children:

60. i. MOSES,[4] b. May 19, 1787.
61. ii. ENOCH, b. in Brunswick Feb. 14, 1789.
iii.
iv.
v.
62. vi. ISAAC.
63. vii. SAMUEL, b. in Brunswick, Me., Dec. 15, 1799.

22.

ELIPHALET[3] (*Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Byfield Parish, bapt. Aug. 24, 1718; married Nov. 23, 1738, Martha Burbank, of Newbury. He was a "cordwainer," *i. e.* a shoemaker; bought land in Rowley in 1743 and 1744; removed to Bradford about 1748; settled his father's estate in 1753; sold the Bradford homestead April 2, 1756, and removed to Bow, N. H. There bought

* ABNER (DANFORD), Muster Master's receipt, dated Boston, Oct. 16, 1782, signed by John Popkin, Muster Master, stating that he had received said Danford of Capt. William Bailey, in behalf of Class No. 3 of the town of Bradford, to serve in the Continental army for the term of 3 years.

† This age may be what was reported when he applied for a pension in 1818, or what was given at the issue of the census report of 1834.

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land of Moses Merrill March 28, 1760, and sold it June 12, 1763, his wife signing the deed with him. Resided temporarily in Rumford, N. H., and leased land there March 20, 1761, for two years. Signed a petition June 8, 1761, for the removal of obstructions from the Merrimac river, in order that masts, etc., might be floated down to market and for the use of the royal navy.

Removed to New Amesbury, N. H.; sold land May 8, 1766.

Children:

64. i. STEPHEN,[4] bapt. at Byfield Dec. 2, 1739.
65. ii. SIMEON, bapt. at Byfield March 9, 1745.

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## FOURTH GENERATION.

### 24.

NATHANIEL[4] (*Nathaniel*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Rowley (bapt. Dec. 3, 1727); settled with his father at Contoocook, N. H. Removed to "New Britton in the county of Hillsborough," N. H. (since called Andover), before March 10, 1779, when he signed a petition of the inhabitants for incorporation. [N. H. State Papers, vol. XI.]

He married Mary, daughter of Edward and Sarah Emery, of Contoocook, N. H., as we learn from a deed in which they joined with their brother William Emery Oct. 12, 1761.

He died at Salisbury, N. H. in 1821, æ. 96. [Mass. Hist. Soc. Coll. 3d series, I, p. 176.]

### 28.

THOMAS[4] (*Thomas*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born probably in Canterbury, N. H.

Thomas Danford, Jr. was a soldier in Col. Timothy Bedel's regiment from Sanbornton, N. H. "engaged July 22, 1777." [N. H. Revolutionary Rolls XI and XIV.]

Thomas Danford, Jr. was one of the selectmen of Eaton, N. H., in 1793. [State Papers XII.]

Thomas Danford "of Stafford co., N. H. aged 77," was receiving a pension of $96 per annum, as reported in 1828.

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32.

WILLIAM[4] (*William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born at Boscawen, N. H. Aug. 18, 1748; married Olive Elliot, who died Nov. 12, 1840, "aged 92"; he died Oct. 13, 1838, "aged 92."

He was a corporal in Capt. Samuel Atkinson's company "at Coos in Haverhill, N. H." Dec. 1, 1776. He was also a sergeant in Capt. Peter Kimball's co., Col. Thos. Stickney's regt. "in Gen. Stark's brigade; made out of the 13th regt. N. H. militia July 20, 1777, which joined the Continental army at Bennington and Stillwater." [N. H. Rev. Rolls.]

For his services he received a pension; he was reported on the Pension Rolls of the year 1834 as "of Merrimac county, N. H., 86 years old."

Children:

i. MARY (POLLY),[5] b. Nov. 22, 1772; m. Folsom Bean.
80. ii. ENOCH, b. Oct. 19, 1774.
iii. RUTH, b. Feb. 20, 1777; m. Seth Conner.
81. iv. WILLIAM, b, Jan. 22, 1780.
v. JOHN, b. in Aug. 1784; d. in infancy.
82. vi. JOHN, b, Dec. 11, or 18, 1785.
83. vii. EDMUND, b. July 8, 1791.

33.

JEDIDIAH[4] (*William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born at Boscawen about 1750; married first (intention Oct. 5, 1771) Sarah, daughter of Nathaniel Rix; she died in 1791, and he married second, April 4, 1792, Lydia Chase. Residing in Canterbury, N. H., Dec. 17, 1793, they sold land in that town. He receipted July 2, 1776, at Boscawen, N. H. for bounty and advance pay in Capt. James Shepard's co. in the Continental army. He was a private in Capt. Samuel Atkinson's co. at "Coos in Haverhill, N. H." Dec. 1, 1776. As one of the inhabitants of the town he petitioned June 1, 1791, to have the west part set off and called Bristol. In the census of 1834 he was reported of "Grafton county, 76 years old," receiving a pension of $20 per annum.

He removed to Stanstead, Canada, and died there.

Children:

i. ANNA,[5] b. May 5, 1772.
ii. PETER, b. April 26, 1774; removed to Malone, N. Y.; d. childless.
84. iii. JEDIDIAH, b. April 26, 1777.
85. iv. NATHAN, b. Aug. 28, 1779.
v. SARAH, b. June 5, 1781; d. at Hopkinton, N. H. Aug. 20, 1841.
vi. JONATHAN STICKNEY, b. May 11, 1783.

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vii. POLLY, b. Jan. 18, 1787.
viii ABIAH, b. March 21, 1789.
86. ix. RIX, b. May 25, 1791.
x. WILLIS, b. June 13, 1794.
xi. AMOS GOULD, b. Nov. 30, 1796.

36.

LIEUT. JOSEPH[4] *(Samuel,[3] John,[2] William[1])*, born in Rowley Dec. 1738; died Aug. 9, 1807; married first, in June, 1767, Rebecca, daughter of Dea. William Brown, born Feb. 22, 1739, died April 20, 1798. He married second, May 22, 1800, Anna Quimby. He was a carpenter; resided in Newbury (Byfield). He was an officer in the army of the Revolution.* He sold all his real estate in Newbury to his sons Friend and Samuel May 3, 1805. He "died in a fit" before Sept. 10, 1807, when administration of his estate was granted to his son Samuel; the widow was mentioned in the probate account.

Children:

i. FRIEND,[5] b. May 2, 1769; living in Newbury in 1819.
90. ii. SAMUEL, b. July 14, 1772.
iii. REBECCA, b. Sept. 12, 1779; m. (1) Sept. 30, 1800, John Buckley, of Haverhill, who d. May 13, 1807: she m. (2) Dec. 9, 1809, John Chapman, who d. April 17, 1838.
91. iv. JOSEPH, b. March 25, 1782.

38.

SAMUEL[4] *(John,[3] John,[2] William[1])*, born in Newbury (bapt. at Byfield church March 19, 1737–8); seems to be the Samuel Danforth whose marriage intention was filed at Boscawen, N. H., March 21, 1767, with "Mrs. Mercy Flanders"; he is called "of Canterbury." He bought land in C. April 4 of the same year. Samuel Danforth files intention of marriage with Mary Blaisdell

* JOSEPH. List dated Newbury, Jan. 25, 1779, of men who received pay of the Selectmen of Newbury for serving 1½ mos. under Maj. William Rogers at Rhode Island.

JOSEPH. Sergeant, Capt. Jacob Gerrish's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 6 days; *also*, Lieutenant, Capt. Caleb Kimball's co.; list dated Newbury, March 18, 1777, of men who received wages for 4 mos. 20 days service at Winter Hill; *also*, 1st Lieutenant, Capt. Kimball's co., Col. Gerrish's regt.; muster roll dated Dec. 4, 1777; detached Nov. 13, 1777; company detached from militia to guard Lieut. Gen. Burgoyne's army; *also*, 1st Lieutenant, Capt. Stephen Jenkins' co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt.; entered service Oct. 14, 1779; discharged Nov. 22, 1779; service, 1 mo. 20 days, travel included; regiment detached from militia of Suffolk and Essex counties to reinforce army under Gen. Washington; reported commissioned Oct. 23, 1779.

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Sept. 29, 1782. He was one of the inhabitants of the Northeast part of the town who petitioned for separate incorporation Jan. 5, 1773, and were set off as the parish of Loudon Jan. 23, 1773.

"Samuel Danforth, carpenter, of Boscawen," sold land in the parish of Loudon, town of Canterbury April 23, 1776, Elkanah Danforth being one of the witnesses. Samuel D. was a "Continental soldier" from Boscawen Sept. 18, 1776, in Capt. Frye's co. He was fifer in Col. Cilley's regt. in 1781, and enrolled for extra pay on account of the depreciation of the currency.

39.

ELKANAH[4]* (*John*[3], *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Byfield, bapt. May 5, 1751; married in Jan. 1777, Mary (Molly) Flanders. He removed to New Hampshire, making his home in Tamworth, where he was living, a "husbandman" in 1775. He there enlisted, in May, "aged 25 years," in Capt. Jere Clough's co. of Col. Poor's regt.; received three months' pay Sept. 18, 1775. He re-enlisted at that time in Capt. Henry Dearborn's co. of Col. Arnold's regt., and served 12 months. He enlisted again in July, 1777, in Capt. Peter Kimball's co., Col. Thos. Stickney's regt., and served 2 months and 6 days "in the Northern Continental army at Bennington and Stillwater." [N. H. State Papers and Rev. Rolls.]

Capt. Dearborn reported him among others Oct. 30, 1776, as "men who went to Quebec last fall under command of Col. Arnold, who have not Received their pay for the month of June, 1775." Residing at Haverhill, Grafton co., N. H., March 30, 1818, he applied for a pension, giving his age as "66 years." The pension was granted—$95 a year. He died in the year 1830.

41.

ENOCH[4] (*Oliver*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Newbury; bapt. at Byfield meeting-house May 17, 1761; married first, in Newburyport, Feb. 3, 1782, Anna Newton, of the same place; she died Jan. 4, 1798. He married second, Feb. 15, 1810, Mrs. Martha Morrill, of the same.

He sold, Oct. 4, 1802, land which had been "left him by his father Oliver Danford, late of Newbury," as stated in the deed.

Children:

96. i. ENOCH,[5] b. June 4, 1791.
ii. ELIZABETH, b. March 4, 1797; m. Aug. 25, 1816, Joseph Putnam.

* Compare this record with that of Elkanah Danforth, No. 29 (page 54), a resident of Taunton, Mass.

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42.

MOSES[4] (*Moses*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Canterbury or Sanbornton, N. H., about 1754; married Mehitable Stevens, of Northfield, N. H.

"Moses Danford, aged 21, of Sanbornton, Stafford co., N. H., husbandman," was enrolled in Capt. Gordon Hutchins's company, Col. Stark's regiment, in 1775; and in "the detachment of Col. Stickney's regt. that marched to the relief of Ticonderoga July 8, 1777"; and is probably the man who enlisted from Loudon, N. H., "for 3 months service in the Continental army," July 17, 1780. [N. H. Rev. Rolls].

"Moses Danforth, of Rockingham county, N. H.," received a pension of $96 per annum in 1819. [U. S. Pension Rolls.] He spent his last days in Northfield, N. H. [Hist. Sanbornton.]

Children:

i. MOSES[5]; resided at West Concord, N. H., in 1878.
ii. PHINEHAS; resided at Canterbury, N. H.
iii. EZEKIEL.
iv. JANE.
v. ELIZA.
vi. SUSAN.
vii. NANCY.

43.

EZEKIEL[4] (*Moses*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born at Canterbury, N. H.; served in the Revolution in Capt. James Shepherd's co., in the Continental army; was "reported by Col. Badger of Gilmantown July 23, 1776, to go to Crown Point." [N. H. Revolutionary Rolls.] "He was killed in the Canadian campaign, probably at Bemis' Heights; his widow was a pensioner in 1845, aged 97 years; she died three years later at West Plymouth, Mass., where she had been living with her only son." [Hist. Sanbornton.]

Child:

97. EZEKIEL.[5]

44.

HENRY[4] (*Moses*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*)[1], born probably in Sanbornton, N. H. about 1763; died at Franklin Falls, N. H., Feb. 27, 1830, "aged 67"; enlisted April 19, 1781, being reported as "17 years old; 5 feet 5 inches high; of light complexion"; was mustered for three years or the war. He received a ball in his breast, which first struck the guard of his gun, then glanced and imbedded itself in his breast-bone, where it was found at the removal of his body from its first resting-place, twenty-four years after his death. He

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received a pension of $96.00 (originally $30.00). He resided at Sanbornton and Northfield, N. H., some time; removed to Franklin Falls, N. H. Married Betsey Hancock, of Northfield. [N. H. State Papers and Hist. Sanbornton.]

Children:

i. BETSEY,[5] b. 1784; d. Dec. 11, 1864.
ii. JANE (JENNY), m. Robert Page, of Andover, N. H.
iii. MARTHA, b. in Sanbornton, N. H., May 22, 1791; m. Mark Chase.
iv. HENRY; removed to New Orleans, La.
v. MARY (POLLY), m. (1) Samuel Ash; m. (2) James Mitchel, of Andover, N. H.; m. (3) Jonathan Frost.
vi. DOROTHY (DOLLY), b. 1799; m. John Burdeen, of Canterbury, N. H.
vii. JOHN, b. 1802; m. in Northfield, N. H. in June, 1823, Eliza Danforth; rem. to Concord, N. H.
viii. MEHITABLE, b. Nov. 20, 1804; m. Jonathan Kezar, of Northfield, N. H.

45.

JONATHAN[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *William*[1]), [supposed] born Dec. 23, 1757; married Jane Foss, born March 3, 1751 (*sic copia*). He died at Waterville, N. H.

46.

NOAH[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *William*[1]), born at date unknown; resided at Tamworth, N. H.

Child:

100. HENRY WHITTIER,[5] b. May 7, 1820.

47.

EBENEZER[4] (*Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *William*[1]), [supposed] born May 3, 1785; married* March 31, 1810, Hephzibeth Dufour, born Jan. 24, 1788, died Oct. 10, 1866. He resided at Meredith Village, N. H.; removed to Geneva, N. Y.

Children:

i. ELBRIDGE GERRY,[5] b. Sept. 4, 1811; d. in 1848 or 1849; m. Aug. 28, 1837, his cousin, Mary Dufour.
ii. SUSAN BOWMAN, b. Sept. 14, 1812; m. —— Davis.
iii. EBENEZER, b. March 23, 1814; m. Permelia Howard, of Geneva, N. Y.
iv. JARVIS S., b. Sept. 5, 1816; d. in 1880; m. Ruth Midaugh.

* Married in Boston Dec. 6, 1807, Ebenezer Danforth and "Rebeckah Raymond," "of Lexington" says the Intention, "of Burlington" says marriage record.

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v. JOHN C., b. June 26, 1818; d. in 1821.
vi. ELIZA ANN, b. June 6, 1821; m. Dec. 26, 1853, Rev. J. R. Mann. Children:
1. *Eben Danforth Mann*, b. May 28, 1859; res. Fort Scott, Kan.
2. *Helen Lilian Mann*, b. Sept. 3, 1861; m. Feb. 7, 1881, Dr. W. A. Forster; res. Kansas City.
vii. GREGORY, b. Nov. 3, 1823; m. July 4, 1848, Elizabeth Ann Lacey.
101. viii. WILLIS, b. Sept. 23, 1826.
ix. ADDISON, b. July 4, 1829; m. in Sept. 1851, Mrs. Elizabeth Hale.

## 50.

ENOCH[4] (*Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]).

ENOCH (also given Jr.) (DANFORD), Brunswick. Return of men enlisted or drafted into Continental army from Col. Jonathan Mitchell's (2d Cumberland co.) regt., as returned by Maj. Nathaniel Larrabee, dated Brunswick, Dec. 10, 1777; residence Brunswick; engaged for town of Brunswick; joined Capt. John Reed's co., Col. Alden's regt.; term 3 years; also private Capt. Reed's co., Col. John Brooks' (late Alden's) regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Feb. 11, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1778; reported taken prisoner Nov. 11, 1778; *also* Capt. John Reed's co., Col. Ichabod Alden's battalion; muster return dated Jan. 12, 1778; mustered by Col. Sewell, Muster Master for Lincoln co., and by Continental Muster Master reported on furlough; *also* Capt. Reed's co. (late) Col. Alden's regt.; return of men in camp before Aug. 15, 1777, certified at Cherry Valley, Feb. 24, 1779; *also* Capt. Reed's co., Col. Brooks' regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780.

## 51.

JOSHUA[4] (*Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born ——; married in Boston, Mass. by Rev. Mr. Baldwin, Dec. 10, 1797, to Susannah Martin. He removed to Pownalborough, since called Wiscasset, Me. Was chosen guardian 12 Aug. 1806, by Fanny, daughter of John Bridge, of Pownalborough, trader, deceased.

"Mrs. Susan Danforth, wife of Major Joshua Danforth of this town, died Oct. 27, 1813" [Town record].

Below* we give the Revolutionary record of this man; perhaps he did more than these notes in Mass. Archives show, and earned the

* JOSHUA (DANFORD). Private Capt. Zadoc Buffington's co., Col. Samuel Johnson's regt.; enlisted Aug. 19, 1777; discharged Nov. 30, 1777, at Cambridge: service, 3 months, 12 days, in Northern department.

JOSHUA. Private, Capt. Simeon Brown's co., Col. Jacob Gerrish's regt. of guards; service from April 2, 1778, to July 3, 1778, 3 mos. 2 days. Roll dated Camp at Winter Hill.

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title of "Major" in service; or it may have been conferred from an appointment in the militia.

Children:

i. JAMES,[5] b. at Pownalborough Jan. 24, 1800.
ii. ALEXANDER M., b. at Pownalborough March 19, 1802.
iii. THOMAS LESLE, b. at Pownalborough in Feb. 1804.
iv. JOSEPH CURRIER, b. at Pownalborough Jan. 25, 1806.
v. ANN BROWN, b. at Pownalborough March 19, 1808.

## 52.

DAVID[4] (*Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born about 1745; spent his early manhood in Pownalborough, since called Wiscasset; married there Feb. 12, 1770, Mary Young (published Dec. 17, 1769) [Pownalboro record]; she died Jan. 20, 1832. He removed to Madison, Me., March 10, 1777 [family tradition]. Resided there and afterward at Solon, Me. Was a farmer. The record below seems to show him a soldier of the Revolution.* He died in Solon March 13, 1827.

Children:

i. SYLVIA,[5] b. in Pownalborough Aug. 13, 1770; m. John Albee.
Children:
1. *Simeon Albee.*
2. *Silvia Albee.*
3. *Abial Albee.*
4. *Rhoda Albee.*

ii. BETSEY CHASE, b. in P. Feb. 2, 1773; m. Charles Savage.
Children:
1. *James Savage.*
2. *Gershom Savage.*
3. *Albert Savage.*
4. *Manter Savage.*
5. *Columbus Savage.*
6. *Alvin Savage.*
7. *Jerome Savage.*
8. *Fanny Savage.*
9. *Betsey Savage.*
10. *Mary Savage.*

iii. DORCAS: m. William Salley.
Children:
1. *David Salley.*
2. *William Salley.*
3. *Joseph Salley.*
4. *Malinda Salley.*
5. *Betsey Salley.*
6. *Lydia Salley.*

110. iv. EBENEZER, b. April 10, 1779.
111. v. SIMEON.
112. vi. SILAS.

* DAVID (DANFORD), Private Capt. Benjamin Lamont's co., Col. Samuel McCobb's regt.; enlisted July 9, 1779; discharged Sept. 24, 1779; service 2 months and 15 days at Penobscot.

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vii. THANKFUL, m. Jedidiah Thompson.

Children:

1. *Samuel Thompson.*
2. *Jonas Thompson.*
3. *Elihu Thompson.*
4. *William Thompson.*
5. *Lena Thompson.*
6. *Mary Thompson*
7. *Malinda Thompson.*
8. *Sarah Thompson.*

viii. MARY, m. Gershom Fletcher. Removed to New York.

Children:

1. *Gershom Fletcher.*
2. *Joseph Fletcher.*
3. *Alvin Fletcher.*
4. *Simeon Fletcher.*
5. *Mary Fletcher.*
6. *Sarah Fletcher.*

ix. THIRZA, m. William Metcalf.

Children:

1. *David Metcalf.*
2. *William Metcalf.*
3. *Danforth Metcalf.*
4. *Jotham Metcalf.*
5. *Naomi Metcalf.*
6. *Lora Metcalf.*

53.

DANIEL[4] (*Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]). His early life was spent at Brunswick or vicinity. After the war, having served among Massachusetts men, he settled at Newbury. Daniel Danforth residing in Newbury, Mass., married Sept. 15, 1798, Eunice, daughter of Amos Poor, of N., who sold them a tract of land which they again sold April 8, 1808. Probably he is the man described in the following military records:

DANIEL (DANFORD), Brunswick, Col. Alden's regt.; list of men returned by enlistment committee of the town of Salem, certified at Salem May 18, 1778, as having engaged to serve in the Continental army for the term of 3 years or during war to the credit of said town; *also* private, Capt. Reed's co., Col. John Brooks' regt.; Continental army pay account for service from March 31, 1778, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence Brunswick; *also* Capt. John Reed's co. (late) Col. Ichabod Alden's (6th) regt.; Muster Roll for March and April, 1779, dated Cherry Valley; enlisted March 31, 1778; enlistment 3 years.

DANIEL. List of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, Muster Master for Suffolk Co., dated Boston, April 12, 1778; Capt. Reed's co., Col. Alden's regt.

DANIEL, Haverhill. Private, Capt. Nicholas Blasdel's co., Col. Wigglesworth's regt.; pay abstract for travel allowance from Albany home; warrant allowed in Council Jan. 27, 1777.

60.

MOSES[4] (*Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born [in Brunswick, Me.] May 19, 1787; married in Brunswick Nov. 4, 1807, Betsey Grant; he died in B. Feb. 26, 1861. [Town records].

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61.

ENOCH[4] (*Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Brunswick, Me. Feb. 14, 1789; died in Litchfield, Me. Dec. 6, 1872; married first, Annie D. Cotton, who died Nov. 26, 1838; he married second, Abigail White, who died Sept. 29, 1848; he married third, Rebecca Higgins, who died in 1876. With his father he removed in 1822 to Litchfield, Me., where he passed the remainder of his life.

Children:

i. WILLIAM,[5] b. Dec. 17, 1821; m. Mary J. Harrington; d. in 1823.
ii. ORRIN, b. Feb. 1825; d, unm. May 26, 1883.
8. iii. ABNER S., b. Oct. 20, 1829.
9. iv. DEXTER W., b. April, 1832.
v. GEORGE F., b. July 30, 1835; d. April 13, 1839.

62.

ISAAC[4] (*Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Brunswick, Me.; moved with the family to Litchfield, Me., in 1822. He married Margaret Coombs; she died Oct. 6, 1851.

Children:

i. DOROTHEA,[5] b. March 13, 1813; m. (1) Walter Haskell; m. (2) Samuel Eally [Ely]. She d. Aug. 3, 1898.
ii. OCTAVIA, b. Nov. 4, 1814; m. James Nutting. Died in Hallowell, Me.
10. iii. ENOCH J., b. Oct. 9, 1818.
iv. MARY, b. July 6, 1819; m. Turner Harrington; d. in Topsham, Me., in 1866.
v. DORCAS, b. Oct. 13, 1821; m. Elisha Nickerson; res. Brunswick.
vi. SARAH, b. 1823; m. George Berry; d. in Bowdoinham, Me., in 1889.
vii. JULIA, b. June 10, 1824; m. Charles Brown; res. Topsham.
viii. ISAAC H., b. 1826; m. (1) Elizabeth Peters; m. (2) Hannah Remick; d. in Bowdoin, Me. May 3, 1900.
ix. SUSAN, b. Sept. 20, 1830; m. (1) Charles Harrington; m. (2) Amos Nickerson. Res. Topsham.

63.

SAMUEL[4] (*Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Brunswick, Me. Dec. 15, 1799; married Sarah Coombs; died in Oct. 1864.

Children:

i. ELBRIDGE C.,[5] b. Jan. 7, 1817.
ii. JANE C., b. July 12, 1821; m. Asa Nutting.
121. iii. ENSIGN, b. March 7, 1823.

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iv. LUCINDA, b. April 28, 1825; m. Joseph Richardson; res. Ayer, Mass.
v. MARGARET, b. April 30, 1828; d. Aug. 7, 1853.
vi. JAMES I., b. Feb. 16, 1831; res. at Bath, Me.; m. Mary Higgins. Deceased.
122. vii. SAMUEL, JR., b. Dec. 11, 1832.
viii. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 1, 1835.
ix. DAVID, b. March 14, 1837; d. March 11, 1839.
x. MARY E., b. Sept. 1, 1839; d. Sept. 3, 1848.
xi. ELIZA A., b. April 14, 1843; m. D. F. Curtis; res. Lisbon, Me.
xii. SARAH F., b. Dec. 20, 1846: m. B. C. Davis; res. Green, Me.

## 64.

STEPHEN[4] (*Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Rowley (bapt. at Byfield church Dec. 2, 1739; married in Bradford Jan. 5, 1758, Betsey Parker. Resided at Bradford. He was a cordwainer; bought land of Moses Platts Dec. 28, 1772; sold land there Aug. 7, 1773, his wife joining in the deed. There is a family tradition that he was a soldier in the Revolution and that he fell in the battle of Bunker Hill. If this is correct the records given below* must apply to some other person, possibly to a son and namesake whose birth has not been reported to the writer.

Children:

[STEPHEN,[5] located in this family without full evidence, but by hypothesis].
i. HANNAH,[5] b. Sept. 22, 1758; m. June 3, 1779, Thomas Cheney; [see Cheney Genealogy]; she d. March 14, 1841.
ii. RACHEL, b. in 1761; m. Oct. 24, 1780, Henry Hardy.
125. iii. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 6, 1763.
iv. ELIZABETH, m. in June, 1786, Joseph Swan, of Methuen.
v. SILAS, b. March 23, d. in May, 1766.
vi. BETTY (may be the Elizabeth above), b. April 23, 1767.
vii. ELIPHALET, b. July 2, 1769; d. in Bradford April 10, 1830.
viii. PATTY, b. May 15, 1771.

* STEPHEN (DANFORD), Manchester. Private, Capt. Haffield White's co., Col. Rufus Putnam's (5th) regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from March 3, 1777, to April 22, 1779; reported discharged April 22, 1779; *also*, muster return dated Albany, Feb. 9, 1778; residence Manchester; enlisted for town of Manchester; enlistment 3 years; mustered by Esquire Cushing; reported deserted Dec. 28, 1777 [but this must have been a false report as his later service proves]; *also*, Capt. White's co., Col. Putnam's (4th) regt.; return of men entitled to state gratuity raised by lottery. Stephen Danforth of Manchester, with wife Lydia, sold land, buildings and rights Dec. 23, 1812. Stephen Danforth (perhaps a third) married in Bradford June 3, 1832, Hannah Wood.

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65.

SIMEON[4] (*Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Rowley (bapt. at Byfield March 9, 1745); died Feb. 23, 1824, "aged 81"; married [first] Jemima ——; married [second] in Rowley, July 9, 1801, Judith, daughter of Amos Stickney by his wife Anna, daughter of Oliver and Anna (Danforth) Whiting, born March 16, 1778. [Stickney Family]. Was living "in Concord, Chester co., twenty-eight years of age, a husbandman," and was enrolled as corporal in Capt. Gordon Hutchins' co., Stark's regt. Sept. 20, 1775; receipted in camp at Winter Hill, Mass. Feb. 7, 1775–6, for "milk money" due from 4 Oct. to 24 Dec. 1775. The colony Poll-tax was levied by the selectmen of Boscawen upon him with others "who ware in the Contanental service for the year 1775 and have entered and gon in said Sarvic for the year 1776." He was in "the detachment of Col. Stickney's regt. that marched to the relief of Ticonderoga July 5, 1777"; was discharged Sept. 25, 1777, "having served in Capt. Peter Kimball's co., Col. Thos. Stickney's regt., raised out of the 13th regt. N. H. militia July 20, 1777, which company joined the Northern Army at Bennington and Stillwater." [N. H. State Papers; Rev. Rolls].

Simeon, cordwainer, of Canterbury, N. H., mortgaged land Oct. 1, 1784; removed to Boscawen, N. H. and gave deed of that tract Oct. 2, 1796. "Of Rowley, cordwainer," with wife Judith, he sold land in R. Jan. 3, 1803. "He removed to Ohio, where he died."*

Children:

i. [EZEKIEL?]
ii. ELIPHALET.[5]
iii. STEPHEN, "son of Simeon and Jemima," b. Aug. 22, 1792.
iv. LUCY, b. in Rowley Jan. 16, 1802; d. in 1859, unm.
v. JUDITH, b. July 22, 1804; m. —— De Priest.
vi. DEBORAH, b. Nov. 9, 1806; m. —— Sawyer (Sayer).
vii. ELIZABETH S., b. April 30, 1808; m. —— Sheafe; res. Middletown, O.
viii. SALLY, } b. Sept. 10, 1809; { m. —— Mortimer.
ix. MOLLY, } { m. —— Steel.
x. ALMIRA JOSEPHINE, b. April 8, 1812.
xi. AMOS, } b. July 3, 1814; { d. Sept. 15, 1816.
xii. EMILY, } { m. —— Barnes.
xiii. MINERVA, b. June 17, 1816; d. in 1818.

* May there be two persons of the name and trade whose records are blended?

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see Perrin's Hist. of Summit Co. Ohio p. 828-9.

### 80.

ENOCH[5] (*William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H. Oct. 19, 1774; died Aug. 14, 1823; married Hannah Haines, born Nov. 21, 1781, died Jan. 21, 1843. He removed from Bath, N. H. to Ohio about the year 1821.

Children:

i. SABRINA,[6] b. Jan. 26, 1806; m. Hiram Thompson.

+ ? M. Adams N.

Children:

1. *Lorenzo T. Thompson*, b. Jan. 18, 1824; m. Jane Wallace; res. Michigan.
2. *Amelia E. Thompson*, b. Nov. 24, 1826; m. Nov. 22, 1848, Emanuel Myers, physician. Children:
   (1) Albert W. Myers, b. May 3, 1850.
   (2) Emma A. Myers, b. May 2, 1852.
   (3) Arthur T. Myers, b. April 10, 1854; m. Georgia Bliss.
   (4) George J. Myers, b. Sept. 30, 1856; d. July 7, 1878.
   (5) Grace L. Myers.
3. *Harriet M. Thompson*, b. Jan. 28, 1829; d. May 1, 1869; m. July 4, 1849, Henry Sanford, farmer. Children:
   (1) Ella Sanford; m. Oct. 1, 1884, Theodore M. Paul.
   (2) Ida Sanford.
   (3) Harriet Sanford.
4. *Jeremiah Thompson*, b. Jan. 28, 1833; m. Harriet Smith.
5. *Laura L. Thompson*, b. Sept. 22, 1836; m. Sept. 12, 1866, William Bell, farmer. Children:
   (1) William L. Bell, b. Aug. 24, 1868.
   (2) Emma Agnes Bell, b. Sept. 9, 1871.
   (3) Frederick N. Bell, b. Feb. 14, 1875.
6. *Mary L. Thompson*, b. May 17, 1838.
7. *Louisa N. Thompson*, b. April 30, 1841; m. in 1861, Orrin Reynolds, teacher. Children:
   (1) Estella D. Reynolds.
   (2) Mary Reynolds; m. July 6, 1883, Joseph H. Troyer.
8. *William L. Thompson*, b. April 3, 1843; d. Dec. 24, 1864.

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9. *Emma S. Thompson*, b. April 6, 1846; d. Feb. 2, 1870; m. Oct. 2, 1867, Ed. Cartwright.
Ch.: Howard Cartwright, b. Sept. 27, 1868.

140. ii. HIAL, b. June 8, 1808.
iii. MARY, b. April 7, 1810; m. (1) —— Holton; m. (2) —— Nourse; lived at Bolton, Mass.; d. at Kirksville, Mo., July 18, 1901.
iv. LAVINIA, b. March 27, 1812; d. June 30, 1901; m. Sept. 2, 1831, James Sevey, b. Nov. 2, 1806, a farmer and carpenter; res. Kirksville, Mo.
Children:
1. *Mary M. Sevey*, b. March 18, 1832; m. —— De Tibbetts; d. Sept. 26, 1901.
2. *Orilla Sevey*; m. Nov. 3, 1852, Edwin Darrow; he d. Oct. 27, 1887.
Ch.:
(1) Mary L. Darrow, b. Aug. 11, 1853; m. Jan. 8, 1877, Robert D. Hamilton.
(2) Ella A. Darrow. b. Jan. 10, 1856; m. Jan. 8, 1877, William P. Foster.
(3) Charles E. Darrow, b. April 15, 1864.
(4) Frederick L. Darrow, b. Jan. 27, 1868; m. Oct. 1894, Minnie Bundy.
(5) Clarence Darrow, b. Aug. 11, 1871; d. March 14, 1876.

141. v. HARRISON, b. April 15, 1814.
vi. JUDITH, b. Oct. 23, 1816; d. in July, 1843.
vii. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 12, 1819; d. at sea March 27, 1843.
viii. ELIZA, b. and d. in 1823.

## 81.

WILLIAM[5] (*William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born at Boscawen, N. H. Jan. 22, 1780; died Sept. 24, 1843; married first, Sept. 24, 1806, Betsey Putney, of Warner, N. H.; she died May 15, 1841, aged 53 years. He married second, at Concord, N. H., Nov. 8, 1842, Mrs. Howard Dow, of Concord. He was a farmer, residing at Webster (Boscawen), N. H., some years; removed to Coldwater, Canada, and engaged in lumber business. Died there.

Children:

142. i. JOHN PUTNEY,[6] b. Oct. 5, 1811.
ii. POLLY, b. Feb. 3, 1815; d. June 19, 1853; m. Nathan Kilburn, of Salisbury, farmer.
iii. TAMSON (THOMASINE), b. March 7, 1817; d. in April, 1879; m. Joseph Warren Jackman, farmer and miller, of Salisbury.
143. iv. ALBERT, b. Dec. 21, 1819.
144. v. WILLIAM, b. May 22, 1823.
vi. ORPHA, b. Jan. 22, 1827; d. Aug. 9, 1848.

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82.

JOHN[5] (*William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H. Dec. 18, 1785; died Feb. 18, 1850; married Nov. 17, 1827, Bernice Corser, of Boscawen.

Children:

145. i. ORRIN,[6] b. in June, 1831.
ii. MEHETABEL (ETTA), b. Oct. 16, 1834; d. May 27, 1876; m. A. P. Bennett. Child, *Helen Pierce Bennett*, b. May, 1870.

83.

EDMUND[5] (*William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H., July 8, 1791; died Oct. 24, 1854; married Sept. 3, 1818, Rhoda Clough.

Children:

i. HAMAN,[6] b. Dec. 21, 1819.
ii. RHODA, b. Sept. 3, 1821; d. June 21, 1834.
146. iii. ENOCH, b. May 4, 1824.
147. iv. GEORGE SULLIVAN, b. May 6, 1827.
148. v. REUBEN CLOUGH, b. Aug. 17, 1829.
vi. CHARLES SPAULDING, b. Nov. 14, 1831.
149. vii. EDMUND, b. Jan. 12, 1834.
viii. RHODA ROSETTA, b. March 11, 1843; m. Josiah C. Shaw, who was at one time officially connected with the Insane Asylum at Concord, N. H. Child, *Clarence Shaw*, b. Sept. 22, 1873.

84.

JEDIDIAH[5] (*Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H. April 26, 1777; died Aug. 2, 1827; married Oct. 22, 1801, Rachel, daughter of John and Rachel Corser, born April 9, 1781, died in Salisbury, N. H. Nov. 19, 1854.

Children:

150. i. JEDIDIAH,[6] b. May 27, 1803.
151. ii. NATHAN GEORGE, b. July 1, 1805.
152. iii. JOHN BLAISDELL, b. July 31, 1807.
iv. SARAH RIX, } b. Sept. 1809; { m. Benjamin Fisk; d. in Lawrence.
v. RACHEL CORSER, } { m. Elijah Clark.
vi. CHARLOTTE SENTER, b. June 23, 1810; m. (1) Jefferson Fisk; m. (2) Elder Nason.
153. vii. PRENTICE SHATTUCK, b. Dec. 22, 1820.
viii. HARRIET AUGUSTA, b. Nov. 6, 1827; d. in 1851.

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85.

NATHAN[5] (*Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H. Aug. 28, 1779; removed to Thetford, Vt. Married Sophia C. ———.

Children:

i. SARAH F.,[6] b. June 8, 1836.
ii. SYLVESTER P., b. Aug. 14, 1838.
iii. CELESTE S., b. June 8, 1840.
iv. HORACE H., b. March 29, 1842.
v. SILVANUS, b. July 4, 1844.

86.

RIX[5] (*Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H. May 25, 1791; married April 15, 1819, Abigail Colby, born April 3, 1801, died Feb. 28, 1849.

Children:

i. BETSEY C.,[6] b. Sept. 13, 1819.
ii. HIRAM BRANCH, b. April 29, 1823.
iii. TIMOTHY COLLINS, b. Feb. 10, 1825.
iv. JOSEPHINE BRANCH, b. Oct. 25, 1842.

90.

SAMUEL[5] (*Joseph*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Newbury July 14, 1772; died June 5, 1818; married Nov. 10, 1803, Ednah, daughter of Simeon and Sarah (Jewett) Plummer, of Newbury, born in 1781, died Dec. 22, 1824, "aged 43."

He was a blacksmith; resided in Newbury. On the first of September after his death administration of his estate was granted to Samuel Newman at the widow's request. Guardians were appointed for the six children surviving.

Children:

i. GEORGE PLUMMER,[6] b. Aug. 3, 1804.
ii. SARAH, b. Oct. 25, 1806.
164. iii. JOSHUA JEWETT, b. Oct. 12, 1808.
iv. REBECCA BROWN, b. Jan. 8, 1812; d. Sept. 12, 1836; m. Sept. 23, 1833, John Newman.
v. JOSEPH, b. March 24, 1814.
vi. SIMEON PLUMMER, b. June 30, 1816; d. May 13, 1818.
vii. MARY P., b. Nov. 21, 1818; m. May 22, 1845, Nathaniel Little, of Newbury.

Children:

1. *Alice Archer Little*, b. Aug. 19, 1846.
2. *Heber Little*, b. Nov. 18, 1853. [Little Genealogy.]

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91.

JOSEPH[5] (*Joseph*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]) born in Newbury March 25, 1782; died Jan. 26, 1840; married first, Phebe Kimball, of Bradford, who was born April 28, 1788, and died Oct. 11, 1835. He married second, Jan. 12, 1836, Mrs. Mary Russell. He was a housewright and ship-joiner. He removed to Salem. He sold land in Newbury to his brother Friend in 1805, and conveyed a tract to him for life-use in 1819. With wife Phebe he sold land in Salem Feb. 9, 1816, and other tracts without her at later dates.

Administration of his estate was granted Feb. 18, 1840, to his son "John K. Danforth, of Boston, tailor"; guardians were appointed for George F., aged 18, and Edward Francis, aged 7 years. Joseph A. and Willam H., of Salem, housewrights, were sureties on the bond, and Samuel G., of Salem, housewright, on the bond for sale of real estate in 1852.

Children:

165. i. JOSEPH AUGUSTUS,[6] b. Feb. 1810.
166. ii. JOHN KIMBALL, b. Oct. 7, 1813.
iii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. June 2, 1817, carpenter and inventor; d. in Boston in 1870, unmarried.
167. iv. SAMUEL GRAY, b. July 18, 1819.
168. v. GEORGE FREDERICK, b. Feb. 11, 1822.
vi. JAMES ALBERT, b. March 28, 1830; d. March 2, 1832, "from the effects of vaccination."
169. vii. EDWARD FRANCIS, b. Aug. 26, 1833.

96.

ENOCH[5] (*Enoch*,[4] *Oliver*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Newburyport June 5, 1794; married there first, May 28, 1816 (intention, May 13), Rebecca Chipman, of the same place. He married second, April 18, 1820, Elizabeth March Sargent, of the same.

Children:

i. REBEKAH ANN,[6] b. Jan. 29, 1821.
ii. CHARLES WILLIAM DAVIS, b. Sept. 24, 1823; d. Aug. 17, 1825.

100.

HENRY WHITTIER[5] (*Noah*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *William*[1]), born [in Tamworth, N. H.] May 7, 1820; died in Dover, N. H. in March, 1881; married first, Mrs. Clark, widow of Josiah T. Clark; married second, Nov. 8, 1851, Eliza J. Clark; she died Feb. 18, 1897.

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Children:

i. EMMA,[6] b. Oct. 9, 1848; m. about 1865, Henry Tatner.
Child:
*Lizzie Tatner*, b. March 26, 1867.

180. ii. GEORGE HENRY, b. at Dover, N. H. Oct. 7, 1858.

## 101.

WILLIS[5] (*Ebenezer*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] [*Jonathan*,[2]] *William*[1]), born in Lake Village, N. H. Sept. 26, 1826; died at Milwaukee, Wis. June 5, 1891; married March 3, 1852, in Oswego, Ill., Nancy Ann, daughter of Rev. James H. Moore, a Methodist Episcopal clergyman; she was born at Brockport, N. Y. Jan. 20, 1836. William went in 1837, with the family to Geneva, Ill.; on leaving school he studied medicine with Dr. G. W. Richards, of St. Charles; graduated from Rock Island Medical College in 1849. Located in Joliet, Ill. On the breaking out of the War he joined the 13th Ill. Cavalry; was afterward surgeon in the 134th Infantry; served at Paducah, Ky. to the end of the War. Resumed practice in Joliet; in 1869 was chosen professor of Surgery in the Hahneman Medical College, of Chicago, Ill. In connection with Drs. Small and Ludlam he published the U. S. Medical Journal (Homœopathic) for several years. His last residence was Milwaukee, Wis.

Children:

i. DE LASKIE,[6] b. at Oswego, Ill. Aug. 23, 1853; d. of pneumonia in Dec. 1897; m. Oct. 27, 1884, Mary Beverly. He is remembered as "one of the loveliest and truest of men."
Child:
*Willis*,[7] b. Dec. 22, 1890.

ii. LAURA, b. at Joliet, Ill. Sept. 9, 1856; d. March 17, 1857.

iii. HARRY WILLIS, b. at Joliet, Ill. July 29, 1858; d. in Cuba July 2, 1898; m. in Milwaukee, Wis. June 29, 1886, Lizzie Grace Whitehill. He studied medicine and was admitted to practice at Milwaukee. When the Spanish cruelties in Cuba were revealed to the world his sympathies were aroused, and he went to the island in 1895. He served as surgeon on the staff of the insurgent Gen. Cisneros. Returning after his father's death, he did much to inform and awaken our people to the situation of the Cubans; he returned to the island as assistant surgeon of the 9th Cavalry. In the battle of El Canney he was shot while dressing the wounds of an American soldier on the field. His body was recovered and buried there; later taken up and brought back to Milwaukee, where it was re-interred in Jan. 1899.
Child:
*Robert Willis*,[7] b. March 27, 1888.

iv. CHARLES EUGENE, b. Oct. 1, 1865.

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EBENEZER[5] (*David*,[4] *Enoch*[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Solon or Madison, Me. April 10, 1779; died July 30, 1829; married Mary Thompson, born Nov. 13, 1781, died Feb. 11, 1840.

Children:

185. i. ASAHEL HUTCHINS[6], b. Feb. 2, 1802.

ii. LOUISA, b. Jan. 3, 1804; m. William Salley, of Madison, Me.; he d. in Sept. 1884.

Child:

*Cephas Salley*, m. Ann Goodrich, of Madison; res. No-Anson, Me. Children:

(1) Frank F. Salley.
(2) Ulysses G. Salley; m. Emma Whittier, of Farmington, Me.
(3) Lucilla Salley.

iii. LORINDA, b. Jan. 31, 1806; m. Thomas Cross, of Madison; rem. to Kingfield, Me.

Children:

1. *George Cross*, m. Priscilla Smith, of North New Portland, Me. Ch.: Frances Cross, m. Julian Viles.
2. *Elam Cross*.
3. *Cornelia A. Cross*; d. in Feb. 1877.
4. *Corice Cross*, d. in Aug. 1883.
5. *Thomas Cross*; m. Lydia Healey, of Solon.

Children:

(1) Harriet Cross.
(2) Walter Cross.
(3) George Cross.

6. *Lorinda Cross*, m. Samuel Horton, of Kingfield; she d. in April, 1868; dau. Charlotte Horton d. in Feb. 1886.

iv. FANNY, b. Oct. 31, 1808; m. (1) Andrew Young, of Embden, Me.; res. in Waterville, Me.; she m. (2) —— Kilgore; she d. in Jan. 1840.

Children of Andrew and Fanny (Danforth) Young:

1. *Adeline Young*, m. Daniel Woodman, of Norridgewock, Me.
2. *Augustine Young*.
3. *Gorham Young*, m. Angeline Hunnewell; res. Fairfield, Me.; children, (1) Elizabeth Young, (2) Blanche Young.

186. v. DAVID, b. July 10, 1811.

vi. LYDIA T., b. Nov. 13, 1813; m. Perez Savage, of Anson, Me., who d. in 1882; she d. in Skowhegan, Me. in 1844.

Children:

1. *Austin Savage*. 2. *Ebenezer Savage*. 3. *Henry Savage*

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187. vii. ORRIN, b. April 1, 1816.
viii. MARY ANN, b. April 1, 1820; m. Thomas Otis.

111.

SIMEON[5] (*David*,[4] *Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Solon, Me. married Fanny Moore.

Children:

i. ORCHARD C.[6]; m. Caroline Savage; d. before 1887.
ii. MARY, m. Jonathan Belden; d. before 1887.
iii. SUSAN, m. Silas Tozer.
iv. JOHN.
v. EBER.

112.

SILAS[5] (*David*,[4] *Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Solon, Me.; married Abigail Bosworth; she died in March, 1874.

Children:

188. i. CALVIN BOSWORTH,[6] b. in Madison, Me. April 12, 1820.
ii. NORRIS; m. Elvira Adams; he d. before 1887.
Child:
*Edwin S.*[7]; m. Elizabeth Moore; resided in Taunton.
Children:
(1) Norris.[8]
(2) Elsie A., b. in T. Sept. 17, 1872.
iii. MILO M., or J. Milo; d. before 1887; m, Rhoda Hilton; residence, Anson, Me.
Children:
1. *Roscoe*,[7] d. at 15 years of age.
2. *Etta Florence*; m. Edwin Grant.
3. *Hannibal Hamlin*; m. Fanny Stevens.
4. *Charles*.
iv. HARRIET; m. Ebenezer Fairbanks Stevens; residence, Norridgewock, Me.; d. before 1887.

118.

ABNER S.[5] (*Enoch*,[4] *Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born Oct. 20, 1829; married Margaret Marr. Lives in Gardiner, Me.

119.

DEXTER W.[5] (*Enoch*,[4] *Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*)[1]) born in April, 1832; married Eliza L. Dingley, of Litchfield, Me. He resided on Oak Hill, Litchfield; died Oct. 5, 1890.

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Children:

i. ELIZA A.,[6] b. Dec. 22, 1864; m. Frank Carr, of Monmouth, Me.
ii. NELSON, b. July 26, 1866; d. Nov. 22, 1891.
iii. ALANSON F., b. Dec. 13, 1868; resides on the old homestead.
iv. CLARA A., b. Sept. 21, 1871, m. Edmund Hall; res. Wales, Me.
v. FRANK P., b. Dec. 30, 1874.
vi. VINTON W., b. Feb. 10, 1877.
vii. ERVIN W., b. Sept. 19, 1884.

## 120.

ENOCH J.[5] (*Isaac*,[3] *Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born Oct. 9, 1818; married Lucy Taylor of Newton, Mass.; died in Brunswick, Me., July 29, 1865.

Children:

192. i. ISAAC H.,[6] b. in Quincy, MASS., April 15, 1844.
ii. LUCY, b. in 1846, d. in Feb. 1849.
iii. CHARLES A., d. in 1849.
iv. ANNE E., b. Nov. 28, 1848; m. John McFadden; res. Bath, Me.
v. GEORGE E., b. Nov. 22, 1852: d. Jan. 15, 1894.
vi. CHARLES W., b. Sept. 22, 1854; m. (1) Cornelia Winslow; m. (2) Ella Reed. Res. Taunton, Mass.

Child:

*William*,[7] b. July 10, 1881; d. Dec. 18, 1900.

## 121.

ENSIGN[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born March 7, 1823: married first, Eliza Segars; married second, Elizabeth Gray; residence Oak Hill, Litchfield, Me.

Children:

i. ELEANOR,[6] b. Dec. 12, 1849; d. March 23, 1851.
ii. HENRY W., b. March 17, 1853; d. March 15, 1872.
iii. JOHN (of second wife), b. Jan. 15, 1857; m. Nellie Blackstone; res. Bangor, Me.
iv. CHARLES, b. July 27, 1859; was lost at sea Feb. 1887.
v. ABBIE, b. Oct. 31, 1861; m. Horace Ridley.
vi. JOSEPH, b. Sept. 10, 1863.
vii. MARY L., b. Dec. 10, 1865; res. Litchfield.
viii. GEORGE, b. Dec. 7, 1868.
ix. JENNIE, b. Oct. 2, 1870; m. William R. Marston; res. Greene, Me.

## 122.

SAMUEL[5] (*Samuel*,[4] *Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born Dec. 11, 1832; married Emma Jenkins; resides in Litchfield, Me.

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Children:

i. ISANNA,[6] b. April 30, 1858; m. Fred. E. Ware; res. Gardiner, Me.
ii. WILBER, b. April 19, 1860; m. George Glover; res, Swan Island.
iii. EMERY E., b. Jan. 24, 1864; m. Lydia H. Cromwell; res. Litchfield.
iv. FRANK E., b. Jan. 24, 1866.
v. BURLEIGH M., b. March 4, 1868; d. May 6, 1872.
vi. EDWARD S., b. Aug. 4, 1870; m. Mabel Carver.
vii. EMMA, b. April 7, 1873; d. March 28, 1876.
viii. FRED L., b. Jan. 1876.
ix. NELLIE M., b. Nov. 2, 1879; d. Dec. 21, 1891.

## 125.

JOSEPH[5] (*Stephen*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Bradford, Mass. Oct. 6, 1763; married in 1785 Elizabeth Barker, of Bradford, and removed to Londonderry, N. H. There he bought a tract of land Jan. 6, 1786. Signed a petition of inhabitants June 5, 1786. [N. H. State Papers XII.] In 1833 he removed to Meredith Village, N. H. His Revolutionary record is given below, in the form published by the State of Massachusetts.*

Joseph Danforth, tanner, of Londonderry, N. H. sold land in L. to William Cheney, of the same town, July 30, 1813.

He also sold land in Windham, N. H. near land of Moody Morse (which he had purchased of Nathaniel Martin May 7, 1798), July 21, 1813.

Children:

194. i. STEPHEN,[6] b. in 1787.
ii. ELIZABETH, b. in 1790; m. Seth Cheney, of Derry, N. H.
Children:
1. *Seth Cheney.*
2. *Parker Cheney.*

195. iii. JOSEPH, b. Jan. 21, 1792.
iv. WILLIAM PARKER, b. in 1794.
196. v. BARKER, b. in 1796.

* JOSEPH, Bradford. Descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for the term of six months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justice Ely, Commissioner, by Maj. Peter Harwood of 6th Mass. regt., at Springfield, July 2, 1780; age, 17 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 9 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Bradford; arrived at Springfield July 1, 1780; marched to camp July 2, 1780, under command of Capt. Phineas Parker; *also*, list of men raised for the 6 months service and returned by Brig. Gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780.

JOSEPH (DANFORD)). Pay roll for 6 months men raised by the town of Bradford for service in the Continental army during 1780; marched June 25, 1780; discharged Dec. 13, 1780; service 6 months.

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197. vi. PHINEAS, b. in 1798.
vii. JOHN, b. in 1800.
198. viii. JAMES BARKER, b. in 1802.

128.

ELIPHALET[5] (*Simeon,*[4] *Eliphalet,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *William*[1]) "born in Bradford, Mass.; went to Canterbury, N. H. with his father when four years old; then crossed the river to Boscawen where he lived and died. He married Sarah Burnham Hovey." [Family tradition.]*

Children:

i. WILLIAM,[6] d. young.
ii. ELIZA HOVEY, d. in 1868; married (as his first wife) Rev. J. M. H. Dow, Congregational minister, of Providence, R. I. and Boston, Mass.
iii. SARAH; residence, Dearing, N. H.
iv. CHARLES.
v. FELICIA HOVEY, m. Wm. P. Hammond, M.D., of Philadelphia. She was an elocutionist.

129.

STEPHEN[5] (*Simeon,*[4] *Eliphalet,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *William*[1]) born in Bradford, Mass. — "son of Simeon and Jemima" — Aug. 22, 1792.

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## SIXTH GENERATION.

140.

HIAL[6] (*Enoch,*[5] *William,*[4] *William,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), born June 8, 1808; died May 25, 1889; married May 4, 1831, Sophia Darrow, born in Darrowville, N. Y., March 31, 1810. He was a farmer.

Children:

i. MARY S.,[7] b. Jan. 1, 1833; d. June 23, 1846.
210. ii. MILTON COLT, b. June 13, 1836.
iii. CHARLES E., b. Aug. 29, d. Nov. 13, 1838.
iv. HELEN S., b. Nov. 28, 1842; m. July 3, 1862, Virgil T. Miller; farmer.

* Eliphalet Danforth, of Chester, N. H., tanner, sold land there, "near his bark house and house," to Jonathan Cilley Oct. 2, 1799. Was this the same person as the above-described?

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Children:

1. *Nellie S. Miller*, b. May 27, 1865.
2. *Minnie May Miller*, b. Nov. 14, 1866.
3. *Ora Volney Miller*, b. March 16, 1875.

v. EDMUND E., b. Sept. 4, 1848; d. Aug. 18, 1850.

## 141.

HARRISON[6] (*Enoch*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born April 15, 1814; died Feb. 21, 1884; married first, Sarah A. Darrow, born July 19, 1813, died Sept. 29, 1868; he married second, Feb. 28, 1875, Martha Holton. He was a physician; resided at Summit, O.

Children:

211. i. FRANCISCO L.,[7] b. Feb. 28, 1838.

ii. LOVINA A., b. Dec. 22, 1839; m. Oct. 3, 1861, "Senard" or Leonard Richardson, b. April 13, 1836; res. Paris, Mich.

Children:

1. *Addie Lovina Richardson*, b. Dec. 12, 1870.
2. *George Harrison Richardson*, b. May 10, 1879.

iii. MORTIMER W., b. Aug. 28, 1842; m. Addie Walton; physician at Cascade, Mich.

iv. THEODORE E., b. Aug. 7, 1844; d. June 7, 1861.

v. EDWIN H., b. June 11, 1852; m. 18 July, 1872, Esther McKnight; is a merchant at Akron, O.

Children:

1. *Sarah Ann*,[8] b. Feb. 17, 1874.
2. *Nellie*, b. Sept. 17, 1878.

vi. CLARENCE E., b. March 16, 1856; m. March 3, 1880, A. Belle Longnecker; physician, Grandville, Mich.

Child:

*Roy H.*,[8] b. April 3, 1883.

## 142.

JOHN PUTNEY[6] (*William*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Webster (Boscawen), N. H. Oct. 5, 1811; died in Coldwater, Upper Canada, June 19, 1864; married first, April 6, 1840, Susan S. Putney, of New London, N. H., born in 1819, died Nov. 21, 1842; he married second, May 11, 1843, Emeline Lock, daughter of Heman and Sally (Connor) Hastings, of Hopkinton, N. H., born July 26, 1815, died Aug. 22, 1853; he married third, in May, 1856, Mrs. Hannah Burnham Wells, born in Essex, Mass., Oct. 9, 1808, died Nov. 7, 1901. He married and resided some time

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at Hopkinton, N. H. When Lawrence, Mass. was started he went thither and found occupation; soon after removed with his family. In 1854 he engaged in lumbering in Upper Canada.

Children:

i. HENRY PUTNEY,[7] b. Sept. 21, 1842; d. July 21, 1844.

ii. HENRY PUTNEY, b. in Webster, N. H., Nov. 24, 1845; was educated in public schools of Lawrence and at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Learned the painting business, and has carried it on in Lawrence. Was elected to the city government and served three years; member of state legislature 1880 and 1884. Is connected with various fraternal organizations. Has taken great interest in this work and contributed to this second part.

iii. EMILY JANE, b. in Hopkinton, N. H., June 3, 1848; d. in Lawrence, Mass. Sept. 7, 1900.

143.

ALBERT[6] (*William*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born Dec. 2, 1819; resided at Webster and Hopkinton, N. H.; was a farmer. He married first, Mary Ann, daughter of Richard Fitts, of Boscawen, N. H.; he married second, Nancy Elizabeth Nichols, of Wethersfield, Vt.; he married third, in Concord, N. H., Sept. 7, 1858, Rosanna E. Sanders, of Gardiner, Me., born March 28, 1820, died Feb. 10, 1901.

Children:

i. FITZ ALBERT,[7] b. June 7, 1848; m. June 29, 1892, Abbie J. Cooper, of Brookline; he was a farmer and expressman; d. of consumption July 13, 1894; no children.

ii. MARY ANN, d. in infancy Feb. 9, 1851.

iii. LUCIUS NICHOLS, b. of second wife, April 2, 1854; salesman in Brookline.

iv. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 18, 1857; m. April 27, 1885, Charles E. Davis, of Goffstown, N. H., a machinist; res. Contoocook, N. H.

Child:

*Florence Emma Davis*, b. Nov. 26, 1885.

v. EMMA LUCINDA, b. Feb. 22, 1861; m. Henry P. Dunbar, of Hopkinton, N. H., carpenter and farmer.

Children:

1. *Edward Capen Dunbar*, b. March 30, 1894.
2. *Charles Morton Dunbar*, b. Feb. 23, 1896.
3. *Howard Clair Dunbar*, b. May 25, 1899.

144.

WILLIAM[6] (*William*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born May 2, 1823; died Nov. 24, 1897; married first, Martha Se-

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ver; married second, Lucia Nichols, of Wethersfield, Vt., a sister of his brother Albert's wife. He was educated at Contoocook Academy; became a civil engineer; served sometime in the employ of the Grand Trunk R.R.; went to Minnesota in 1869 and was employed by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul R.R. several years; city engineer of Red Wing, Minn.; nine years chief engineer of the Duluth and Red Wing R.R. He served in the Civil War in Co. C, 16th Vt. Vol. Inf.; participated in the battle of Gettysburg. Residence, Red Wing, Minn.

Children:

i. WILLIAM,[7] b. April 16, 1861; m. Aug. 10, 1899, Susan Scholfield. He is a civil engineer.

Child;

*George Nichols*,[8] b. Feb. 3, 1901.

ii. LUCIA, b. July, 9, 1865; grad. Carleton College 1891, and has since been a teacher there.

145.

ORRIN[6] (*John*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in June, 1831; married Abra Morrill; residence, Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

i. ARTHUR.[7]
ii. MARY MORRILL.

146.

ENOCH[6] (*Edmund*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born May 4, 1824; married first, Melissa Jane Colby; married second, Lydia A. (Connor) Fisk; residence, Hopkinton, N. H.

Children:

i. NANCY ANN,[7] b. Jan. 21, 1851.
ii. EDWARD EVERETT; m. Emma Louise Emmons; two children. Rem. to California; at one time deputy clerk of Alameda county; later in Railway mail service, residing in San Francisco.
iii. EDMUND G., b. May 23, 1874; m. Jan. 11, 1899, Lucy A. Foss.

147.

GEORGE SULLIVAN[6] (*Edmund*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H., May 6, 1827; married first, in Concord, N. H. Nov. 18, 1856, Emma Maria Colby, of Concord; he married second, Susan Gwin.

He removed to Oakland, Cal.

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Children:

i. EDMUND.[7]
ii. HENRY.

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REUBEN CLOUGH[6] (*Edmund*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Webster, N. H. Aug. 17, 1829; married June 20, 1860, Anna M. Dow, of Concord, N. H., and resided there.

Children:

i. MARIAN ELENA,[7] b. June 8, 1862; d. Feb. 1, 1863.
ii. MARIAN LOUISA, b. April 25, 1864.
iii. CAROLINE L., b. and d. in 1867.
212. iv. HARRY A., b. Jan. 1, 1876.

149.

EDMUND[6] (*Edmund*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born at Webster, N. H. Jan. 12, 1834; married at Laporte, Cal. Mary Lafferty, born in Modoc, Canada, Nov. 5, 1852. Residence, Loyalton, Sierra county, California.

Children:

i. ETHEL MAY,[7] b. at Scales, Cal. Feb. 13, 1870; m. (1) in Reno, Nev. Dec. 5, 1891, Charles Merwin; m. (2) Jan. 4, 1897, Bertrand Louis Jones.

Children:

1. *Ruth Merwin*, b. March 24, 1893.
2. *Arthur Donald Merwin*, b. Sept. 6, 1897.
3. *Gertrude Belle Jones*,
4. *Albert Austin Jones*, } b. Aug. 16, 1900.
5. *Reuben Vance Jones*,

ii. WILLIAM EUGENE, b. July 9, 1871.
iii. FRANCES LOUISE, b. Sept. 2, 1872; m. in Reno, Nev. Sept. 22, 1891, Fred. White.

Children:

1. *Vance Ellsworth White*, b. Oct. 7, 1893.
2. *Elmer White*, b. May 15, 1895.
3. A child, b. March 18, 1901.

iv. MABEL ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 31, 1873; m. in Sierraville, Cal. Jan. 1, 1890, Wm. Capen Glidden.

Children:

1. *Florence Asenath Glidden*, b. 1890; d. 1893.
2. *Edmund Franklin Glidden*, b. 1892; d. 1893.
3. *Lela Mabel Glidden*, b. Oct. 21, 1894.
4. *William Dewey Glidden*, b. Dec. 29, 1896, at Placerville, Cal.

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v. JENNIE ADELE, b. Oct. 24, 1876; m. at Reno, Nev. Sept. 15, 1897, Miles Gay Lee.
vi. ONEZ LILLIAN, b. Dec. 28, 1879.
vii. EVA MAUD, b. July 6, 1881.
viii. WINNIFRED EVANGELINE, b. Nov. 4, 1882.
ix. ELMER LOUIS, b. Feb. 5, 1884.
x. EDNA NATHALIE, b. Nov. 26, 1886.
xi. GEORGE STANLEY, b. at Loyalton, Cal. Nov. 4, 1890.
xii. EDMUND BURKE, b. do. Sept. 9, 1895.

150.

JEDIDIAH[6] (*Jedidiah*,[5] *Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born May 27, 1803; died May 28, 1838; married Aurelia C. ———, born in 1807, died May 27, 1838.

Children:

i. GEORGE HENRY,[7] b. at Lowell, Mass. Feb. 5, 1830.
ii. AURELIA JANE, b. May 8, 1832.
iii. EDNAH ELIZABETH, b. March 1, 1835.
iv. RUTH AUGUSTA, b. Nov. 17, 1837.

151.

NATHAN GEORGE[6] (*Jedidiah*,[5] *Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born July 1, 1805; married Sophia Brown, born Feb. 22, 1802. He resided at Fisherville, now Penacook, N. H.; died Dec. 28, 1861.

Children:

i. SARAH FRANCES,[7] b. June 8, 1836; m. Otis Farwell of Fisherville.
ii. SYLVESTER PRENTICE, b. Aug. 14, 1838.
iii. CALISTA (or CELESTE) SUSAN, b. June 18, 1840; d. June 23, 1869.
iv. HORACE HARPER, b. March 29, 1842; d. Feb. 26, 1858.
v. SYLVANUS E., b. July 21, 1844; res. W. Concord, N. H.

152.

JOHN BLAISDELL[6] (*Jedidiah*,[5] *Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born July 31, 1807; married Dorothy Fisk; she died May 27, 1853; he died at Salisbury, N. H. April 12, 1846.

Children:

i. JOHN FORREST,[7] b. July 24, 1837.
ii. REBECCA FISK, b. Aug. 4, 1839.
iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. June 8, 1841.
iv. EDNAH ELIZABETH, b. May 4, 1844. [Concord record says "Enoch E."]

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PRENTICE SHATTUCK[6] (*Jedidiah,*[5] *Jedidiah,*[4] *William,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), born in Boscawen, N. H. 22 Dec. 1820; was drowned at Swampscott, Mass. 3 June, 1852; married 3 Oct. 1841, Sarah Hoyt.

She survived him and resides (1902) in Lowell. In 1893, she visited her son in China, writing a spirited account of her journey and observations for a Lowell journal.

Children:

i. SARAH HELEN,[7] b. in Lowell, 14 Sept. 1843; d. 23 Aug. 1844.
ii. SUSAN ELLEN, b. in Mason Village, N. H. 12 Sept. 1847; m. 11 Jan. 1879, Arthur F. Fletcher.
213. iii. ALBERT WHITNEY, b. in Boston, 25 Aug. 1851.

164.

JOSHUA JEWETT[6] (*Samuel,*[5] *Joseph,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]) born in Newbury Oct. 12, 1808; married, first, Mary C. Knight, born in 1812, died July 1, 1834, aged 22. He married second, Nov. 29, 1854, Esther E. Bailey, of Newbury. He married third, Nov. 30, 1859, Susan (Fairweather) Noyes.

Children:

i. JOSEPH K.[7] b. June 10, 1838; d. Nov. 22, 1864; m. Lucy R. ———. Child: *Mary Jane,*[8] b. Aug. 21, 1862; d. July 20, 1876.
ii. JANE FAIRWEATHER, b. and d. in 1860.
iii. JANE FAIRWEATHER, b. Aug. 5, 1861.
iv. ESTHER RODDILY, b. July 31, 1863; d. April 18, 1881.

165.

JOSEPH AUGUSTUS[6] (*Joseph,*[5] *Joseph,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), born in Salem in February, 1810; married in 1838 Sarah Nichols, born Jan. 6, 1819, died May 1, 1894. He was a carpenter; he died May 20, 1877.

166.

JOHN KIMBALL[6] (*Joseph,*[5] *Joseph,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), born in Salem Oct. 7, 1812; died in Chelsea June 11, 1863; married in Boston April 21, 1842, Cornelia B. Dunlap. He was a tailor; resided in Boston, Salem, Brookline and Chelsea. Mrs. Danforth survived him; she made her will Feb. 17, 1873; bequeathed to her sons John H., George E. and Charles F. Danforth.

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Children:

i. JOHN HENRY,[7] b. about 1845.
ii. Unnamed son, d. in infancy.
iii. GEORGE EDWIN, b. in Salem; was a glove and hosiery dealer in Boston; d. in 1899; leaving one child.
iv. CHARLES FRANCIS, b. in Brookline; is an architect.

167.

SAMUEL GRAY[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Joseph*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Salem July 18, 1819; died Dec. 6, 1867; married Jan. 9, 1845, Elizabeth Abbot, born Oct. 4, 1821, died Sept. 11, 1865. He was a house-carpenter; resided in Salem.

Children:

i. CHARLES AUGUSTUS,[7] b. June 1, 1846; d. Sept, 17, 1847.
ii. MARY ELIZABETH; m. M. L. Peabody.
Child:
*Marian Peabody*, b. about 1866; d. about 1890.
iii. JENNIE KIMBALL, b. June 26, 1865; d. at Jamaica Plain, June 16, 1893.

168.

GEORGE FREDERICK[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Joseph*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Salem Feb. 11, 1822; died Oct. 1, 1855; married April 20, 1847, Martha J. Gwinn. "He was a Baptist clergyman, of great faith in God and Jesus Christ." [Letter of a nephew.]

Child:

GRACE,[7] b. 1853; d. in Lynn, unmarried, Aug. 28, 1874.

169.

EDWARD FRANCIS[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Joseph*,[4] *Samuel*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Salem Aug. 26, 1833; married Oct. 23, 1856, Louisa M. Wood, born July 8, 1836. He is a contractor and builder; resides at Beverly.

Children:

i. JOSEPH HORACE,[7] b. in Salem, July 25, 1857.
ii. ALICE, b. Nov. 25, 1859; d. Dec. 23, 1861.
iii. FRANCIS EDWARD, b. Oct. 14, 1862.
iv. NELLIE AGNES, b. Aug. 30, 1864; m. Joseph P. Friend.
Children:
1. *Edgar R. Friend*, b. Jan. 26, 1891.
2. *Albert Lenox Friend.*
3. *Lester Danforth Friend.*

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v. FLORA LOUISA, b. July 2, 1868; a school teacher at Los Angeles, Cal.
vi. SAMUEL GEORGE, b. Nov. 10, 1871.
vii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Jan. 8, 1874; farmer; residence, Beverly.
viii. ALBERT KIMBALL, b. in April, d. in Aug. 1875.
ix. JOHN ANDREW, b. June 20, d. Aug. 31, 1876.
x. LAVINA CORINNE, b. Aug. 14, 1880; m. Aug. 23, 1901, Milton Alvin Cole, of Los Angeles, Cal.

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GEORGE HENRY[6] (*Henry Whittier,*[5] *Noah,*[4] *Jonathan,*[3] *Jonathan,*[2] *William*[1]) born in Dover, N. H. Oct. 7, 1858; grad. Dartmouth College 1880; married July 3, 1888, Florence Evelyn Cummings, born Aug. 3, 1858. He is (1902) superintendent of public schools in Greenfield, Mass.

Children:

i. BENJAMIN CUMMINGS,[7] b. Oct. 30, 1889.
ii. HENRY WHITTIER, b. April 5, 1893.

185.

ASAHEL HUTCHINS[6] (*Ebenezer,*[5] *David,*[4] *Enoch,*[3] *Francis,*[2] *William*[1]), born in Solon, Me. Feb. 2, 1802; died Sept. 8, 1859; married Melinda, daughter of William and Dorcas (Danforth) Salley, b. March 1, 1803, died April 3, 1879. He lived in Cornville, Me.

Children:

i. JOEL SALLEY HUTCHINS,[7] b. in Solon July 25, 1830; m. Nov. 25, 1858, Eunice Helen, dau. of Rev. Stephen and Fidelia (Laughton) Russell, b. at St. Albans, Me. Dec. 2, 1838; residence, Dexter, Me.

Children:

1. *Lizzie Fidelia,*[8] b. April 9, 1861.
2. *Jennie May,* b. at Pittsfield, Me. May 22, 1867.
3. *Charles M.,* b. and d. in 1872.

ii. MARCIA ANN, b. in Solon July 28, 1832; m. June 1, 1856, Moses Cass, son of Richard and Maria (Cass) Hopkins, b. at St. Albans March 6, 1828.

Children:

1. *Sarah Maria Hopkins,* b. June 1, 1857; m. in July, 1881, Jonas A. Wilcomb, of Boston.
2. *George Cecil Hopkins,* b. Jan. 31, 1861; a travelling salesman; residence, Gardner, Kan.

iii. LEANDER, b. in Solon July 4, 1834; d. in Morrisdale, Pa. Nov. 5, 1855.

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iv. GUSTAVUS, b. in Cornville, Me. May 24, 1837; m. in Lynn April 16, 1884, Mrs. Caroline A. (Trask) Clark, dau. of John and Elizabeth Trask, and widow of William Clark.
v. LUCINDA, b. in Cornville April 12, 1840; d. March 9, 1864.
vi. GEORGE STILLMAN, b. in C. March 29, 1842; d. Dec. 3, 1860.

## 186.

DAVID[6] (*Ebenezer*,[5] *David*,[4] *Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Solon, Me. July 10, 1811; married Aug. 3, 1833, Martha S. McFadden, born in Madison, Me. Oct. 15, 1811. Residence, Solon.

Children:

i. FRANKLIN LORESTIN,[7] b. in Madison, Me. July 3, 1834; m. (1) Oct. 16, 1857, Ellen, dau. of Henry Graham, of St. John, N. B., b. in 1834; she d. at Madison Nov. 5, 1866. He m. (2) in 1870 Joanna, dau. of Maurice and Ellen (Cary) Keating, b. in Ireland in 1842. He served nine months in the army in the Civil War. Removed to California.

Children:

1. *Daniel W.*,[8] b. in Boston June 30, d. Sept. 26, 1864.
2. *Leontine*, b. in B. Nov. 4, 1865; since the death of her mother has lived with her grandparents in Solon, Me. Has taught school with acceptance. The compiler acknowledges valuable assistance received from her in the gathering of records of this branch of the family.
3. *Mary Frances*, b. Dec. 8, 1872.
4. *Thomas Jefferson*, b. April 24, 1874.

ii. AMANDA, b. Dec. 6, 1836; m. Dec. 6, 1882, William F. Colby, of Madison, Me., where they reside.
iii. GEORGE C., b. and d. in 1839.
iv. EBENEZER T., b. and d. in 1840.
v. THOMAS F., b. March 14, 1842; m. Harriet Emery, of Bangor, Me.; residence, Madison, Me.
vi. STREETER, b. Jan. 28, 1851; residence, Solon, Me.

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ORRIN[6] (*Ebenezer*,[5] *David*,[4] *Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Solon, Me. April 1, 1816; died Dec. 8, 1866; married in Sept. 1842, Eunice Savage, born in June, 1832. Residence, Madison, Me.

Children:

i. MARY O.[7]
ii. DEXTER W.
iii. EUGENE.

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CALVIN BOSWORTH[6] (*Silas*,[5] *David*,[4] *Enoch*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Madison, Me. April 16, 1820; married Annie, daughter of Joseph and Tamson (Savage) Gray, born in Embden, Me. Feb. 12, 1818, died Aug. 9, 1883. Residence, Skowhegan, Me. He gave many particulars respecting this branch of the Danforth family in a letter, dated Feb. 9, 1887.

Children:

i. ABBY VIOLA,[7] b. Nov. 7, 1843; m. Dec. 16, 1879, Charles Moody Green, b. in Newburyport Sept. 2, 1843. No children.
ii. ELBA BOSWORTH, b. June 24, 1846; m. June 4, 1872, Alma E., dau. of Liola and Mary A. Chase, b. in Pittsfield, Me. Residence, Skowhegan, Me.

Children:

1. *Liola*,[8] b. in 1872.
2. *Charles Stevens*, b. in 1874.

iii. ELMER OSCAR, b. Sept. 21, 1849.
iv. JOEL GRAY, b. Feb. 7, 1853.

192.

ISAAC H.[6] (*Enoch J.*,[5] *Isaac*,[4] *Abner*,[3] *Francis*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Quincy, Mass. April 15, 1844; moved with his parents to Brunswick, Me. about 1852; married Margaret A. Sanders. Enlisted in the First Maine Light Artillery in the War of the Rebellion, Feb. 25, 1863; served with Gen. Phil. Sheridan in the Shenandoah Valley campaign. Was wounded Oct. 19, 1864, in the battle of Cedar Creek. Was discharged July 20, 1865. Resides in Brunswick, Me. Has gathered and contributed a good share of the facts relating to this group of Danforths.

Children:

i. ERNEST WILBUR,[7] b. Nov. 4, 1871; was graduated from the University of Maine in 1892; has been for eight years in the employ of the city of Somerville, Mass. as a civil engineer.
ii. CHARLOTTE GLENDELIA, b. Feb. 5, 1875.
iii. LUCY MARGRAVINE, b. July 2, 1877.

194.

STEPHEN[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Stephen*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Londonderry, N. H. 1787; married Eliza Crowell.

Children:

i. ALBERT JOSEPH,[7] b. 6 Nov. 1814.
ii. JESSIE.
iii. LUCY.

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Mr. Joseph Danforth,
Joseph Lewis Danforth,
George Lewis Danforth,
George Lewis Danforth, Jr.

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iv. JAMES B.; res. Minnesota.
v. THOMAS K.; res. Minnesota.
vi. SOPHIA, m. —— Avery.
vii. ANNA TALBOT, m. —— Maxfield.

195.

JOSEPH[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Stephen*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Londonderry, N. H. Jan. 21, 1792; died in Louisville, Ky. Nov. 27, 1885; married in Boston, Mass. Oct. 22, 1815, Lucy Shaw, daughter of Nathaniel and Lucy Lewis, born in Plymouth, Mass. Sept. 8, 1794, died in Louisville Aug. 19, 1859.

At 18 years of age he went to Boston and engaged in mercantile business. In 1818 he removed to Kentucky, then a frontier state, and made his home in Louisville, then a town of but 3700 inhabitants. He returned to Boston in December, making the journey on horseback in 42 days. The next spring he went back to Louisville, his wife and three daughters following soon after. He established a commission business, his brother James being his partner until 1845, developing a large business. In 1861 he retired, making his home in Henry county with his daughter, Mrs. Schon. In 1873 he returned to Louisville, where he resided the rest of his life. Widely known and respected, happy with his children, grandchildren and great grand children, he passed a serene old age.

Children:

i. LUCY ELIZABETH,[7] b. in Boston Sept. 20, 1816; d. in Middletown, Ky. Sept. 9, 1822.

ii. JULIA AUGUSTA, b. in Boston Feb. 12, 1818; d. in Louisville, Dec. 21, 1898; m. May 22, 1849, Washington, son of John Leicester Schon, of Clarksburg, Va.; residence, Henry county, Ky.

Children:

1. *Lucy Schon*, b. in Louisville March 30, 1850; m. June 23, 1868, Joseph T. Hayden, of Newcastle, Ky.

Children:

(1) Mattie Belle Hayden, b. Aug. 28, 1869; m. Sept. 1890, Arthur Sherrill; res. New York city.
(2) Joseph Danforth Hayden, b. July 31, 1871; m. June 1, 1901, Lottie Floyd.
(3) Thomas Leicester Hayden, b. Nov. 7, 1874.
(4) Mary Julia Hayden, b. Aug. 13, 1878.

2. *Leicester Schon*, b. in St. Joseph, Mo. Oct. 21, 1857; m. Virginia McClune, of Henderson, Ky.; res. Cleveland, O.

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3. *George Lewis Schon*, b. in St. J. July 4, 1859; m. Elizabeth Keith; res. Louisville.
4. *Mary Josephine Schon*, b. in Bedford, Ky. Jan. 16, 1861.

iii. MARY ANN LEWIS, b. in Boston March 30, 1819; d. May 4, 1823.
216. iv. JOSEPH LEWIS, b. in Louisville Jan. 21, 1821.

## 196.

BARKER[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Stephen*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Londonderry, N. H. in 1796; married Mary S. Leland, of Beverly. Residence, Nashua, N. H.

Children:

i. JAMES B.,[7] b. about 1816; d. 10 Feb. 1862; m. Elizabeth Heath.
ii. JOHN L., b. 8 May, 1819; m. Salome L. Fish, of Deerfield, N. H., b. March 11, 1821.

Children:

1. *George C.*,[8] b. Jan. 15, 1845.
2. *John O.*, b. in June, 1847.

iii. MARY ANN, b. 21 March, 1821; m. 26 Oct. 1842, John Gilman Howard, b. 9 July, 1821.

Child of John G. and Mary A. (Danforth) Howard:

*Lucy Elizabeth Howard*, b. 2 Aug. 1843; m. Alfred Beard of Nashua, N. H.

iv. SARAH, b. 2 Feb. 1825; d. 26 Oct. 1857; m. Francis Cutler.
v. WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. ——; m. Sarah Perkins; res. Concord, N. H.
vi. ELIZABETH ANN, b. 13 June, 1831; m. 10 Sept. 1850, Geo. H. Warren (tailor) Nashua, b. 31 July, 1829.

Children of Geo. H. and Elizabeth A. (Danforth) Warren:

1. *Henry Warren*, b. 10 Aug. 1852.
2. *John G. Warren*, b. 15 March, 1854.
3. *Geo. F. Warren*, b. 29 Aug. 1862.

vii. LETITIA (twin of Elizabeth A.), b. 13 June, 1831.
viii. HENRY, b. and d. 13 Nov. 1833.

## 197.

PHINEAS[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Stephen*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in 1798; married Mary Rollins.

Children:

i. JANE,[7] m. Samuel Phelps, of Boston.
ii. JOSEPH ALEXIS, m. Jane Abbot.
iii. ELIZABETH, m. —— Scott.

Child of —— and Elizabeth (Danforth) Scott:

*Clarence Scott*. [Boston].

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JAMES BARKER[6] (*Joseph*,[5] *Stephen*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]), born in 1802; died in 1869; married in 1834, Anna Richmond Talbot, daughter of Commodore Cyrus Talbot, of Nelson co., Ky. "Lived in Philadelphia."

Child:

ALICE,[7] b. in June, 1835; m. (1) in 1855, Cyrus Bemis. She m. (2) Richard Conn Lancey, of Brighton, Eng.

Child:

*Harry Danforth Bemis*, b. in 1856.

199.

CHARLES[6] (*Eliphalet*,[5] *Simeon*,[4] *Eliphalet*,[3] *Joseph*,[2] *William*[1]); married Rebecca F. Batchelder. Farmer; res. Deering, N. H.

Children:

i. MARY SHEPHERD, M.D.; in practice of medicine at Manchester, N. H.

ii. GEORGE.

iii. CLARENCE BURNHAM. George and Clarence have been partners in the lumber trade (Danforth Brothers) at North Weare, N. H. (Deering P. O.).

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## SEVENTH GENERATION.

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210.

MILTON COLT[7] (*Hial*,[6] *Enoch*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born June 13, 1836; married Chloe Bradley, daughter of Ulysses and Elizabeth (Bradley) Marion, born Sept. 8, 1837. [See Hyde Genealogy.] Residence, Darrowville, O.

Children:

i. JENNIE E.,[8] b. March 27, 1859; m. Nov. 11, 1879, Edward O. Shively.

Child:

*Eva Mabel Shively*, b. Oct. 9, 1882.

ii. MARY S., b. Sept. 5, 1860; d. March 10, 1862.

iii. LEORA N., b. Aug. 11, 1862; d. Feb. 5, 1865.

iv. NINA RAY, b. Jan. 13, 1867.

v. MILTON HIAL, b. Sept. 25, 1874; m. Oct. 20, 1897, Frances G. Ball.

Child:

*May Aphra*,[9] b. May 5, 1898.

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FRANCISCO L.[7] (*Harrison*,[6] *Enoch*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born 28 Feb. 1838; married first, Lucretia Rockwell, of Stow, Summit co., O.; she died 14 July, 1864. He married second, 3 Oct. 1870, Guleika L. Mallison, of Akron, O. Residence, Hudson, Summit co., O.

Children:

i. MAMIE BELL,[8] b. 18 Dec. 1862.
ii. JAMES F., b. 12 June, 1864; m. in Sept. 1883, Hattie Heffner.
iii. EMMA N., b. 18 July, 1871; residence, Akron, O.
iv. CHARLES M., b. 2 Nov. 1872; m. Nov. 1, 1899, Ella May Beman.

212.

HARRY A.[7] (*Reuben Clough*,[6] *Edmund*,[5] *William*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Concord, N. H., Jan. 1, 1876; married (wife's name not reported).

Children:

i. FRANCIS PARTRIDGE,[8] b. June 28, 1899.
ii. BERTHA, b. May 10, 1900.
iii. LAWRENCE, b. Sept. 30, 1901.

213.

ALBERT WHITNEY[7] (*Prentice S.*,[6] *Jedidiah*,[5] *Jedidiah*,[4] *William*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), born in Boston 25 Aug. 1851; married in Shanghai, China, Nov. 5, 1898, Lulu Fay Hacker.

He was engaged to go to China in 1881, by Li Hung Chang and others, to give them figures and information in regard to the building and equipment of Cotton Mills. He remained in Shanghai two months, selected a site for the proposed mill, then returned to America, with full authority to order the entire equipment of the mill, hire assistants to go to China, and attend to all details. Having completed arrangements in the United States, he left for Shanghai in August, 1883. While on his way over, the war was begun between China and Japan. Financial conditions were disturbed, and Mr. Danforth was asked to wait awhile; so everything was held in abeyance for about three years. The mill was finally built, and was making yarn and cloth in 1890, after innumerable difficulties and delays. It was the *first Cotton Mill in China.* In 1893 the mill was entirely destroyed by fire, but was soon rebuilt. Mr. Danforth still retains a general oversight of the plant of The Shanghai Cotton Cloth Company.

Child:

ALBERT HACKER,[8] b. Aug. 3, 1899.

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Mr. Albert Whitney Danforth.

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SAMUEL GEORGE[7] (*Edward Francis,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Joseph,*[4] *Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), born at Salem Nov. 20, 1871; married in Boston June 6, 1891, Mabel May Grossmith, of Boston, born Feb. 18, 1871. He is foreman of a manufactory of gentlemen's cravats in Boston. Resides at Arlington.

Child:

MABEL CORINNE,[8] b. Feb. 5, 1900.

215.

ALBERT J.[7] (*Stephen,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Stephen,*[4] *Eliphalet,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *William*[1]), born 6 Nov. 1814, in Londonderry, N. H.; married first, at Newtown, Ind., 27 Sept. 1842, Matilda H. Sewell, of Piketon, O., b. 7 April, 1822; she died 5 Jan. 1879. He married second, 6 June, 1881, Martha A. Weeks.

Children:

i. JAMES BARKER, b. in Newtown, Ind., 19 July, 1843; d. in Indianapolis in Oct. 1853.

ii. GEORGIANNA D., b. in Newtown 13 June, 1845; m. at Indianopolis, 24 Nov. 1868, Oscar H. Nealey; res. Washington, D. C.

iii. ALBERT JUDSON, b. in Newtown 22 Jan. 1847. Member of 124th Indiana Vol. Inf.; killed at battle of Ringgold 10 May, 1864.

iv. EUDORA F., b. in Newtown 16 March, 1848; m. D. V. Burns 30 Nov. 1869.

Children:

1. *Ida Burns.*
2. *Edith Burns.*
3. *Edna Burns.*

v. IDA D., b. at Indianapolis 16 Nov. 1850; d. 1 Nov. 1869.

vi. GRACE DARLING, b. at Indianapolis 25 Nov. 1858: m. 8 May, 1878, Frank Howard Levering, b. in Indianapolis. No children.

216.

JOSEPH LEWIS[7] (*Joseph,*[6] *Joseph,*[5] *Stephen,*[4] *Eliphalet,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *William*[1]), born in Louisville, Ky., Jan. 21, 1821; died there Oct. 31, 1887; married in Boston, Mass., May 12, 1845, Frances Antoinette Elizabeth, daughter of Andrew Henshaw and Sarah (Henshaw) Ward, born in Shrewsbury, Mass., April 19, 1822, died in Louisville, Ky., Nov. 19, 1898. He was graduated from Harvard University in 1839; was one of the founders of the Louisville Association of Harvard Alumni, and its first vice-president. He spent four years in Philadelphia and New Orleans; re-

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turning to Louisville, he entered the Dry Goods house of Danforth, Lewis, & Co., remaining in the business until 1856. He was then chosen secretary of the Falls City Insurance Company, and from that time was a leader in the insurance interests of the city and state. For twenty-five years he was president of the Louisville Board of Fire Underwriters.

For many years he also took a prominent part in developing the Public Schools of the city, advocating all things which his investigations found to be genuine improvements, and as strongly resisting anything which he believed a perversion of the system.

He and Mrs. Danforth united with the Unitarian church in 1854, and were most valuable members; Sunday School work, benevolent enterprises in the church and community, all things that made for the true, the beautiful and the good, these he helped forward in a conspicuous manner. He left the impress of a Christian gentleman on all who came in contact with him.

Children:

i. FLORENCE WARD,[8] b. April 27, 1846; m. Dec. 26, 1866, Horatio Victor Newcomb, of Louisville.

Children:

1. *Edyth Ward Newcomb*, b. Dec. 10, 1867; m. Nov. 29, 1889, Reginald Henshaw, son of Andrew Henshaw and Anna Ward, of Boston, Mass.
2. *Hermann Danforth Newcomb*, b. Jan. 1, 1872; m. Nov. 9, 1898, Matilda Florence, dau. of John and Eva Ferguson Churchill. He is a member of the Kentucky legislature.

Child: John Churchill Newcomb, b. Dec. 3, 1899.

3. *Florence Danforth Newcomb*, b. Sept. 29, 1875; d. July 3, 1876.

ii. JOHN HENSHAW, b. Sept. 18, 1847; d. Dec. 8, 1853.

iii. JOSEPHINE LEWIS, b. Sept. 13, 1849.

iv. ANTOINETTE, b. May 11, 1852; m. May 12, 1877, Charles Freeman, son of Moses Freeman and Emeline Egglestone Smith, of New York state and Knoxville, Tenn.; res. Louisville.

v. GEORGE LEWIS, b. July 24, 1854; m. Feb. 13, 1877, Florence, daughter of E. D. and Mary Standiford, of Louisville. Resides in Louisville; insurance agent.

Children:

1. *Marie Antoinette*,[9] b. April 8, 1878.
2. *George Lewis, Jr.*, b. Nov. 8, 1879.
3. *Nannie Standiford Caldwell*, b. Aug. 15, 1881; d. Feb 21, 1893.
4. *Florence Newcomb*, b. Aug. 23, 1883.
5. *Standiford*, b. Sept. 6, 1885.

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Mr. Joseph Lewis Danforth.

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vi. SALLIE WARD, b. Aug. 4, 1856; m. Sept. 17, 1873, Charles Thruston, son of William and Anne Thruston Johnson, of Louisville.

Child:

*John Thruston Johnson*, b. Oct. 15, 1875.

vii. WILLIAM HERBERT, b. Feb. 24, 1859; d. Dec. 30, 1877.

viii. FRANCIS CARRUTH, b. Sept. 19, 1860; d. Sept. 5, 1761.

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## DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM OF IPSWICH AND NEWBURY.

HEADS OF FAMILIES.

2. Richard[2]

- 3. John
  - 7. Nathaniel[3]
    - 24. Nathaniel[4]
    - 25. Stephen
  - 8. Thomas —28. Thomas
  - 9. William —32. William
    - 80. Enoch[3]
      - 140. Hial[6] —210. Milton C.[7]
      - 141. Harrison —211. Francisco L.
    - 81. William
      - 142. John P.
      - 143. Albert
      - 144. William
    - 82. John —145. Orrin
    - 83. Edmund
      - 146. Enoch
      - 147. George S.
      - 148. Reuben C.—212. Harry A.
      - 149. Edmund
  - 33. Jedidiah
    - 84. Jedidiah
      - 150. Jedidiah
      - 151. Nathan G.
      - 152. John B.
      - 153. Prentice S.—213. Albert W.
    - 85. Nathan
    - 86. Rex
  - 10. Samuel —36. Joseph
    - 90. Samuel —164. Joshua J.
    - 91. Joseph
      - 165. Joseph A.
      - 166. John K.
      - 167. Samuel G.—214. Samuel G.
      - 168. George F.
      - 169. Edward F.
  - 11. John
    - 38. Samuel
    - 39. Elkanah
  - 12. Oliver —41. Enoch — 96. Enoch
  - 13. Moses
    - 42. Moses
    - 43. Ezekiel — 97. Ezekiel
    - 44. Henry
- 4. Jonathan
  - —14. Jonathan
    - 45. Jonathan
    - 46. Noah —100. Henry, W. —180. George H.
    - 47. Ebenezer —101. Willis
- 5. Francis
  - 18. Enoch
    - 50. Enoch
    - 51. Joshua
    - 52. David
      - 110. Ebenezer
        - 185. Asahel H.
        - 186. David
        - 187. Orrin
      - 111. Simeon
      - 112. Silas —188. Calvin B.
    - 53. Daniel
    - 54. Paul
  - 19. David
  - 20. Isaac
  - 21. Abner
    - 60. Moses
    - 61. Enoch
      - 118. Abner S.
      - 119. Dexter W.
    - 62. Isaac —120. Enoch J. —192. Isaac H.
    - 63. Samuel
      - 121. Ensign
      - 122. Samuel
- 6. Joseph
  - —22. Eliphalet
    - 64. Stephen —125. Joseph
      - 194. Stephen —215. Albert J.
      - 195. Joseph —216. Joseph L.
      - 196. Barker
      - 197. Phineas
      - 198. James B.
    - 65. Simeon
      - 128. Eliphalet —199. Charles
      - 129. Stephen

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# APPENDIX.

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## UNASSIGNED DANFORTHS;

**Descendants, undoubtedly, in nearly every case, from Nicholas or William, but the connection not yet traced.**

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ARTHUR, married in Dedham Sept. 13, 1829, Hannah G. Whiting of D.

BENJAMIN, born about 1790; died in Boston Sept. 17, 1835, "æ. 45."

CHARLES M., died at Reading 19 Feb. 1895, leaving wife Nellie M., and children Alfred W., Percy R. and Bertha E.

DAVIS; married in Boston March 9, 1824, Lydia Mellish.

EDWARD, married 13 March, 1810, Sophia, daughter of Gardner and Jemimah (Rice) Wright, of Sutton. [Rice Genealogy].

ELIAS, of Lexington, was published to Lucy Smith Jan. 30, 1814.

ELIZA A. (Danford) married (as his second wife) 26 Dec. 1853, Rev. Joseph Richardson Marr, who was born at Baldwin, Me. 7 March, 1819. He was pastor at Geneva, Ill. to 1857; then removed with his wife's brothers, "the Danfords," to Mound City and joined in the organization of that company; removed in 1871 to Fort Scott, Kan.

Children:

i. EBEN DANFORD MARR, b. 28 May, 1859.
ii. HELEN LILLIAN MARR, b. 13 Sept. 1861. [Richardson Genealogy].

ELIZA J., died at Dover, N. H. in March, 1898. [Directory].

ELKANAH.

Children:

i. IRA.
ii. MARY; m. William Gifford.
iii. HENRY. [Davis's Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth.]

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EZEKIEL, born in Boscawen, N. H. [It is said that he had brothers Eliphalet and Stephen and a sister that married a man by the name of Vilas, who went with Ezekiel to New York.] He married Hannah White; she survived him and married second, Charles Tuttle, of Tyngsborough, Mass.; she died March 18, 1865, according to the inscription on her gravestone.

An Ezekiel Danforth (whether this man or another of the name) receipted at Boscawen, N. H. July 2, 1776, for bounty and advance pay in Capt. James Shepard's company in the Continental army; was "reported by Col. Badger of Gilmanton, N. H. July 23, 1776, to go to Crown Point."

Children:

i. JOHN MANLEY, b. in Boscawen, N. H., March 14, 1810; m. in 1837, Alvira, dau. of James and Naomi (Whitney) Sawyer, of Harvard, born Jan. 22, 1819, died Feb. 11, 1882. He was a book-binder, painter and paper-hanger; resided in Dedham. He was drowned in 1846, leaving his little family in straightened circumstances; the younger children were adopted by relatives and friends of the family.

Children:

1. *Alvira*, b. in 1838; m. James Russell, of Malden.

Children:

(1) Edward Russell.
(2) Ida Maria Russell.

2. *Jane*, b. Aug. 15, 1839; m. Joseph Lovell, of New York state.
3. *Abbie*, b. Feb. 2, 1841; m. Thomas Brackett, Stark, Me.
4. *Emma*, b. Dec. 13, 1843; was adopted by Capt. Joseph Winn, of Salem, with the name Annah C. Winn; m. Oct. 27, 1864, Captain Nathan Pearson Cutler, son of William and Sally Maria Pearson, b. in Oct. 1841; he is president and manager of the Curtis Leather Co. of Ludlow, Pa. He served with credit in the Civil War.

Children:

(1) Annah Maria Cutler, b. Nov. 14, 1865; d. July 29, 1866.
(2) Joseph Winn Cutler, b. April 21, 1866; d. Sept. 10, 1872.
(3) Nathan Pearson Cutler, b. Oct. 27, 1870; m. Edith Talbot Gould.
(4) William Haskell Cutler, b. June 7, 1872.
(5) Sally Abbott Cutler, b. May 18, 1875.

5. *Emmet*, b. Nov. 29, 1844; was adopted and his name changed to Daniel Danforth Whitney. He served in the war for the Union, 1862–5; m. Estelle Case, of Leominster.

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Children:

(1) Dean Whitney, grad. from the U. S. Training ship Annapolis; assigned to war ship Indiana.

(2) Elsie Whitney; m. Rev. Mr. Northrop.

(3) and (4), sons.

6. *Sarah Straw*, name changed to Martha Hosmer; b. Feb. 10, 1846; m. Alvin S. Twiss, of Tewksbury, where they reside.

Children:

(1) Alice E. Twiss, b. in 1871; m. in 1893, Frederick L. Hardy, of Andover.

Child: Frederick Charles Hardy, b. Nov. 2, 1894.

(2) Charles F. Twiss, b. in 1873; m. in 1899, Fanny L. Coles.

Child: Fanny Gertrude Twiss, b. March 25, 1902.

(3) Lucy L. Twiss, b. in 1877.

ii. PEASLEY P.; d. at Kankakee, Ill., Nov. 7, 1884.

iii. JANE.

iv. MINERVA R., b. in Turin, N. Y., Oct. 15, 1815; m. at Cambridge, Mass. Dec. 13, 1838, George Phillips, b. in Nov. 1812; residence, Arlington.

Children:

1. *George Stow Phillips*, b. Jan. 16, 1840; m. Dec. 25, 1861, Lizzie Clark, b. in Cambridge Oct. 16, 1840.
2. *Francis Henry Phillips*, b. Dec. 3, 1841; d. in Dec. 1848.
3. *Ellen Minerva Phillips*, b. and d. in 1845.
4. *Ellen Pamelia Phillips*, b. Nov. 12, 1846; d. June 1, 1852.
5. *Estella Mary Phillips*, b. Feb. 21, 1851; m. Nov. 24, 1874. Charles S. Jones, b, Jan. 21, 1850.
6. *Clark Lowell Phillips*, b. and d. in 1857.

v. VILAS, b. in Ogdensburg, N. Y. July 10, 1820; m. in Cambridge Jan. 28, 1852, Susan, dau. of Abel Farrar, born in Acton. He was a farmer. He d. in Tyngsboro Jan. 14, 1894.

Children:

1. *Clara Frances*, b. in Cambridge May 1, 1853; m. March 30, 1873, George William Stephens, b. in Dunstable Sept. 10, 1847.
2. *Edward Phillips*, b. Sept. 17, 1859; m. in Lynn in June, 1887, Nellie Augusta Woods, of Dunstable.

Children:

(1) Bertha Queen, b. April 26, 1888.

(2) Marion Augusta, b. Aug. 25, 1895.

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vi. HARRIET.
vii. CHARLES B.
viii. CLARA, m. —— Lynch.
ix. CHELLIS, d. at 4 years of age.

GEORGE. "George Danford and Marcy Cotton, both of Rochester, "were married at Rochester, Mass., 23 July, 1717, by Mr. Timothy Ruggles." [Roch. Rec.]

He married *Mercy*, daughter of Rev. John Cotton, of Yarmouth, Mass. and of his wife Sarah, daughter of Richard Hubbard, of Ipswich; after the death of Mr. Hubbard's widow, 26 July, 1720, George and Mercy,* residing in Rochester, Mass., sold land in Ipswich, inherited from Mr. Hubbard. [Essex Deeds.]

GEORGE O., painter, Cambridge; wife Olive Moody; died Sept. 24, 1887; bequeathed his estate to wife and sons, "of Cambridge" and daughter "now of Boston," giving names in full; will dated March 4, 1875, probated Oct. 18, 1887.

Children:

i. BENJAMIN OTIS.
ii. JAMES LYON (recorded "James Theoph^s") b. in C. March 27, 1849.
iii. SUSAN ELIZABETH (called "Harvey" in her father's will).

GILLMAN, born in 1822; died in 1863; married first, Carrie Ford; married second, Ruth Noyes, of Haverhill, Mass.; res. Hopkinton, N. H.

Sarah, a sister of Gillman, married in Concord, N. H., first, Jere. Palmer; married second, Leonard Felch.

Children:

i. JOHN; m. (1) Anna ——; m. (2) Maria Sweat; res. Manchester, N. H.
Ch.: *John Henry; Fred P.*
ii. SARAH JANE; m. Amos Whittier.
iii. ERASTUS, d. in Nov. 1866; m. Mary Nichols; ch.: 1. *William A.* 2. *Charles Henry.* 3. *Frank Whitefield.*
iv. MARY ANN; m. Stephen B. Sweat. Res. Bow, N. H.
v. CHARLES HENRY, b. 31 March, 1837; m. 11 Aug. 1862, Marrietta Hall Kempton, b. 30 Nov. 1844. Ch.: 1. *Stella Florence*, b. 25 Sept. 1866. 2. *Etta Arvilla*, b. 13 Nov. 1870; d. 30 Sept. 1872. 3. *Mabel Kempton*, b. 23 March, 1876. 4. *Helen Agnes*, b. 6 July, 1881. Charles Henry, the father, was in the Union Army.

* We note that 1 Aug. 1804, Mercy Danforth, "aged 67 years, testified at Newburyport 1 Aug. 1804, about testimony which her sister Hannah Ritter had given concerning the question, which was the elder of the Kent twins!"

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vi. JOHNSON; d. at the second battle of Bull Run.
vii. RUTH ELLEN; m. Timothy G. Moore; res. Pittsfield, N. H.
viii. GILLMAN, b. 22 Sept. 1851; m. 12 June, 1869, Harriet Felch, b. at Weare, N. H., Nov. 1847.
ix. GEORGE AUGUSTUS, b. 17 Dec. 1850; m. (1) Ellen Sargent; m. (2) Emma Barr.

HANNAH, of Somerville, married in Charlestown April 23, 1843, Isaac Holmes, of Dedham.

HENRY, born 17 June, 1805; died at Lynn, 27 Aug. 1876; married Martha Ellis Raymond, daughter of Lemuel and (Julia?) (Ellis) Raymond, born in Plymouth, 5 Jan. 1804, died at Plymouth, 30 July, 1830.

Children:

i. CHARLES HENRY, b. in 1827; m. first, Phebe Reynolds; m. second, Adrianna Faunce, dau. of Stephen Faunce.
ii. OTIS, b. in 1829.
iii. ALLEN, b. in 1823.
iv. MARTHA J., b. in 1834; m. Caleb F. Wright.
v. FANNY H., b. ——; m. George H. Atwood.
vi. AURELIA, m. Alex. Wood.

[Davis' Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth.]

JEREMIAH, married [in Boston?] 24 May 1832, Sally Hassan, born May 25, 1811, d. April 28, 1835.

JEREMIAH, born 15 Feb. 1819; died 5 Oct. 1861; married at Hingham, Abigail Lord Salisbury, born 17 Jan. 1821, died 13 Feb. 1884.

Children:

i. EBEN K., b. in Georgetown 24 May, 1840; m. 15 March, 1863, Lydia Ann (Banks) Downer.
Child:
*Anna*, b. 12 April, 1864; m. 28 April, 1883, Calonius Morse, of Georgetown.
ii. MARTHA, b. and d. in 1842.
iii. GEORGE SPENCER, b. 27 March, 1844; m. 14 Feb. 1878, Carrie Augusta Slayton, of Brookfield.
iv. JULIA, b. 2 May, 1845; m. 10 Sept. 1873, George Everett Hitchcock, of Ipswich.
v. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. 8 Sept. 1849.
vi. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. 26 May, 1855; m. 28 Jan. 1874, William Henry Thomas, of Ireland, b. 24 Sept. 1849.
vii. ELIZA ANNIE, b. 2 May, 1858; m. 20 Aug. 1875, Warren Gerome Witham, of Durham, N. H.

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Children:

1. *Mary Elizabeth Witham*, b. 30 Jan. 1877.
2. *Maud Alice Witham*, b. 13 July, 1878.

viii. ABIGAIL, b. 19 Feb. 1860.

JOHN H., married in Boston, 30 June, 1844, Mehitable Merrill.

JOHN W., died; administration was granted March 28, 1888, to Horace W. Bailey, of Newbury; Frank P. Danforth was surety on the bond. [Middlesex Prob.]

JOSEPH, married Judith. Resided at West Newbury.

Children:

i. JOSEPH N.; m. 18 Nov. 1851, Sarah M. N. Wood. Res. Bradford. Ch.: *Joseph W.*, b. 5 Jan. 1879.
ii. ELIZA R., m. at Groveland, 4 Sept. 1858, John W. Robinson.

JOSEPH S., born 17 April, 1791, at Boscawen, N. H. Married at Cincinnati, O., Rosalinda Wells, born in 1801 at Montpelier, Vt.

Child:

MANLY, b. 23 Dec. 1818; m. at Amity, Yam Hill co., Oregon, 10 June, 1851, Anna Maria Maly, b. 19 April, 1836.

Children:

1. *William M.*, born 7 May, 1852.
2. *Manly*, } b. 14 May, 1855; { d. 20 May, 1856.
3. *Lucius*, }
4. *Frank*, b. 17 April, 1857; d. 13 Jan. 1864.
5. *Minnie Helen*, b. 28 April, 1859.
6. *Wilamina*, b. 16 Aug. 1860.
7. *James Frederick*, b. 19 Dec. 1861; d. 24 Dec. 1863.
8. *Charles Benson*, b. 7 Dec. 1864.
9. *Lucius Fremont*, b. 28 Dec. 1866; m. at Portland, Ore., 6 June, 1891, Dora Alice, dau. of Cortland and Annie E. (Robertson) McClure, b. at Salem, Ore. 2 Feb. 1869. Ch,: Dora Iris, b. 26 Dec. 1892, at Alameda, Cal.
10. *Rosabell*, b. 22 March, 1870.

JOSHUA. Joshua Danford was a soldier in Capt. Osgood's company of Col. Timothy Bedel's (New Hampshire) regt.; he receipted for arms, etc., March 5, 1776.

Joshua Danford was reported by the selectmen of "Andover, formerly New Briton," as having served in the (Revolutionary) war from that town.

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Joshua Danford, "of Bosquin" (Boscawen, N. H.) was a sergeant in Maj. Benjamin Whitcomb's "Independent Corps of Rangers," July 4, 1779; had enlisted "from Feb. 10, 1777"; receipted for pay 7 Feb. 1781, being in Col. Cilley's company. Was reported Jan. 1, 1780, as one of the soldiers who were entitled to extra pay on account of the depreciation of the currency. He petitioned the authorities of the state Jan. 19, 1781, "for money to procure provisions for his family 'so that he can return to Maj. Whitcombs Core,' in which he was a soldier; testified that he had received no wages for last year's service nor anything from the town." In 1782 the selectmen reported that they had furnished his family with articles to the value of £12-2-4.

MARTHA, int. mar. with Daniel Chaplin at Rowley March 26, 1808.

MARTIN, married in Boston 12 May, 1844, Louisa M. Roberts.

"MATTHEW Danford of Hull, boatman," was married Oct. 21, 1720, by Mr. Zechariah Whitman, at Hull, to Elizabeth Prince. They sold land in Hull 20 May, 1742. [Boston and Suffolk county records.]

MICAJAH, resided at Danbury, N. H.

Children:

MICAJAH, m. 14 May, 1845, Rosanna C. King.
RUFUS H., m. "second," 15 Jan. 1857, Adelia P. Morse.

MILTON, married in Boston, Sept. 8, 1837, Mary Jane Simmes.

MOSES, married (1) Elizabeth (Betsy) Grant; married (2) in Boston, April 11, 1848, Lavinia Weeks. [Is it the identical Moses?]

Child:

JAMES C., b. [in Rome, Me.?] 23 Feb. 1832; rem. to Brunswick, Me.; afterwards removed to Boston and later to Dixfield, Me. He m. in B. Dec. 6, 1855, Sarah Ann Noyes, whose mother was Harriet Potter, b. in [Carthage, Me.,] Sept. 17, 1836.

Children:

1. *James Warren*, b. in Boston, Dec. 11, 1858; m. Sept. 8, 1880, Clara Ellen, dau. of George and Louisa F. (Learned) Hurd, b. in Dover, N. H., May 17, 1860. He is a shoemaker; res. Lewiston, Me.

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Children:

(1) Lunette May, b. in Carthage, Me., Oct. 13, 1882.

(2) Bertram Allen, b. in Dixfield, Me., Sept. 23, 1885.

(3) Hattie Iola, b. July 15, 1887.

2. *Fred Wesley*, b. Dec. 13, 1862; m. in Wilton, Me., Mary E., dau. of Charles H. and Elmira S. Chubb, b. in Dixfield, Me. Dec. 23, 1863.

Child;

Walter Emery, b. in Dixfield, July 19, 1886.

3. *Clarence Emery*, b. Dec. 10, 1864.

4. *Hattie May*, b. in Dixfield, Me., April 19, 1870.

5. *Sarah Elizabeth*, b. in Carthage, Me., Dec. 30, 1874; d. Jan. 11, 1882.

NATHANIEL, resided at Franklin, N. H.

Child:

EDWARD, b. 17 Nov. 1812; m. 5 Sept. 1832, Fandacy Huntley, b. 20 Aug. 1796, d. in 1869.

Children:

1. *Edward R.*, b. 17 Oct. 1833; m. 22 Sept. 1857, Martha J. True, b. 8 July, 1837.

Children:

(1) Arthur C., b. 24 May, 1862.

(2) Nellie E., b. 26 Nov. 1866; m. 25 Nov. 1833, Henry A. Manning.

2. *Harriet N.*, b. 17 Oct., 1833; m. in April, 1851, George W. Colbath.

Children of George W. and Harriet N. Colbath:

(1) Ida J. Colbath, m. Emery Levy.

(2) Fred Colbath.

OTIS, baker, Cambridge; married first, in Boston March 2, 1817, Eunice Belcher, of Boston. She joined him in a deed of land April 16, 1821; she died in C. Feb. 22, 1826, aged 36 years. He married second, Czarina P., daughter of Dr. Sylvanus and Mary (Fowle) (Richardson) Plympton, born in Aug. 1788, died in Jan. 1883. [Plympton Genealogy.] She signed deeds with him Oct. 28, 1828, and July 31, 1830. They placed certain real estate in the hands of trustees July 31, 1850, to secure separate rights. July 12, 1899, Czarina P. Littlefield, of Boston, represented that Otis and his wife were both dead, and that their rights in said land had descended to their daughter Mary C. Danforth, now Littlefield; and asked to be appointed trustee in place of Nathan W. Eaton, resigned. Charles H. Littlefield, of Boston, was at one time a trustee. [Mdx. Prob.]

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Child:

MARY CZARINA, b, in Cambridge June 14, 1831.

SALLY, intended marriage with Stephen Wood at Rowley, May 17, and they were married July 19, 1805.

SAMUEL H., of Lowell, died May 9, 1873; administration of his estate was granted May 28, 1878, to his widow Lucia C. Danforth. John W. and Frank P. Danforth his "next of kin."

SARAH, int. mar. with David Jewett, Jr., at Rowley, Aug. 12, 1810.

SILAS, "son of Capt. Danforth, of Derby, Vt."

Children:

i. CHARLES (below).
ii. NORTON.
iii. WILLIAM.
iv GEORGE.
v. EPHRAIM.
vi. SEWALL.
vii. SUSAN.
viii. SOPHRONIA.
ix. FRANCIS.

CHARLES (*Silas*), born 1 Dec. 1828; resided at Hartford, Vt.; married 25 Feb. 1847, Charlotte Hanscom, born 16 June, 1827. He died in the army in 1864.

Children:

i. EMMA AMELIA, b. in 1848; m. Harry George. Resides in West Corinth, Vt.
ii. SUSAN LUCRETIA, b. in June, 1849; m. Gilbert Flanders; res. in West Corinth, Vt.
iii. JULIA ANN, b. 19 Nov. 1850; d. 16 Nov. 1865.
iv. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. 23 July, [1852]; m. Mary Lezac; res. Barton Landing, Vt.
v. MARY; m. William Riter.
vi. JEREMIAH LEVY, b. 22 Jan. 1858; m. 16 April, 1880, Ella Dockham.
vii. SILAS EUGENE, b. 17 March, 1855; m. Nelly Gray.
viii. FRANK BENJAMIN, b. 14 Feb. 1865.

THOMAS (father not known to the writer), married Patty Colby.

Children:

i. WILLIAM.
ii. PHEBE, m. Joshua Nason.
iii. PRISCILLA.
iv. ARCHIBALD, b. in 1805; d. in Dec. 1861; res. Madison, N. H.; m. in 1830, Polly Harriman, of Madison.

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Children:

1. *William G.*, b. 30 June, 1832; m. Adeline Eliza Fay, dau. of Curtis and Olive (Knowlton) Fay, of Hillsdale. N. H., b. 29 March, 1831.
   Children:
   (1) Gertrude Eliza, b. 14 Dec. 1857; m. 13 Sept. 1877, Fred Eugene Banfield.
   (2) Dana Fay, b. 3 Apr. 1869; d. 14 Apr. 1870.
2. *Azel Adams*, shoe mfr. Lynn.
3. *Adeline.*
4. *Richard Ransom*, shoe mfr. Stoneham.
5. *Melissa*, m Nathan Perkins, Charlestown.
6. *Charles*, shoe mfr. Stoneham.
7. *Horace*, shoe mfr. Lynn.
8. *Florilla*, m. James Pinney, cab maker, Charlestown.
9. *Mary.*

TIMOTHY ("brother of Thomas"). Resided at Eaton, N. H.
Children:

i. HAZEN.
ii. STEPHEN.
iii. ENOCH.
iv. SEWALL.
v. ROSWELL M., "b. at Eaton, N. H." [Aug. 24, 1808]; d. "of Laryngitis" in Cambridge, Mass., May 28, 1865, "aged 56 years. 9 months and 4 days," "son of Timothy," "widower," "blacksmith." [Camb. records.]

Also a number of girls whose names are not known.

WILLARD, of Charlestown, married at Chelsea Nov. 29, 1838, Mary Burrill, of Chelsea.

WILLIAM, "of Haverhill, cordwainer," died intestate 12 Oct. 1839; his widow, Mary administered on the estate for herself and "four children." Of these, William Edwin, aged 16, and Stephen Bailey, aged 14, chose Moses Atwood guardian, and he was appointed 4 Feb. 1840. William E. "discharged" his guardian Aug. 19, 1844, and Stephen B. March 24, 1846.

WILLIAM ("*Eliphalet*"?) married Hannah Ordway. Resided at West Newbury.

William, of ——? m. in Boston 5 March, 1833, Mary Ordway.
Children:

i. WILLIAM E., d. 6 Aug. 1846.

* Perhaps "Eliza, daughter of William Danforth, who died in Boston 17 May, 1832, æ. 31, and was buried at West Newbury," was connected with the above.

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ii. STEPHEN BAILEY, m. 13 June, 1848, Lucy Ann Chase. Resided in Bradford.

Children:

1. *Charles William*, b. 26 Nov. 1848.
2. *Frederick C.*, b. 19 Aug. 1861.

iii. RODOLPHUS, m. 19 April, 1855, Sarah Elizabeth Smith.

Children of Rodolphus and Sarah E. (Smith) Danforth:

1. *Mary Abbie*, d. 3 April, 1865.
2. *Carrie Howe*, b. 2 April, 1867.

iv. GEORGE E., m. Mary J. Pike.

Children:

1. *Anna F.*, m. 24 Nov. 1880, Wm. W. Merrill.
2. *Fred Lincoln*, b. 30 Aug. 1866; d. 4 April, 1867.
3. *Charlina P.*, b. 4 Aug. 1870.

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## UNASSIGNED REVOLUTIONARY RECORDS.

DAVID. Private, Capt. Joshua Leland's co. of guards; enlisted Oct. 6, 1779; discharged Nov. 10, 1779; service, 1 mo. 5 days, under Maj. Nathaniel Heath; company detached by order of Maj. Gen. Hancock to man the forts at and about Boston and to serve until Nov. 10, 1779.

DICK, Boston. Private, Capt. William Warner's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; abstract for advance pay for 1 month, etc., dated Camp at Hull, Aug. 31, 1776; *also*, same co. and regt.; service from May 30, 1776, 4 days previous to marching, to Aug. 1, 1776, 2 mos. 2 days; *also*, same co. and regt.; service from Aug. 1, 1776, to Nov. 1, 1776; *also*, same co. and regt.; pay abstract for Nov., 1776, including travel allowance home, certified at Boston.

ELIAKIM. Captain, Col. Thomas Nixon's (6th) regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to March 1, 1789; reported resigned; *also*, list of men belonging to Mass. Line reported as not having been mustered or who were omitted from pay rolls, to whom wages and depreciation were allowed; reported not mustered.

JACOB. Marine, ship "Mars," commanded by Capt. James Nivens; engaged April 20, 1781; discharged June 12, 1781; service, 1 mo. 22 (also given 1 mo. 23) days. Roll dated Boston.

JACOB. Private, Capt. William Bird's co., Col. Webb's regt.; enlisted Aug. 17, 1781; discharged Dec. 1, 1781; service, 3 mos. 24 days, travel included; regiment raised in Middlesex and Suffolk counties to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months.

LUKE. Seaman, brigantine "Rising Empire," commanded by Capt. Richard Whellen; engaged July 30, 1776; discharged Sept. 4, 1776; service, 1 mo. 5 days. Roll sworn to in Bristol Co.

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LUKE (DANFORD). Private, Capt. John Russell's (seacoast) company; marched July 28, 1776; service 10 days; co. stationed at Martha's Vineyard; reported enlisted in Continental service Aug. 10, 1776.

SAMUEL, Weston. Private, Capt. Charles Miles's co., Col. Jonathan Reed's regt.; pay abstract for mileage from Ticonderoga sworn to Feb. 10, 1777; reported deserted.

SAMUEL (DANFORD). Lieutenant, Col. William Shepard's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to April 2, 1779; reported resigned April 2, 1779; *also*, Capt. Reuben Slayton's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; return of men in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777; *also*, same regt.; order for clothing, dated Camp Valley Forge, May 1, 1778; *also*, Capt. Reuben Slayton's co., Col. Wm. Shepard's 3d (also given 4th) regt.; muster rolls for July, Aug., Oct. and Nov., 1778, dated Providence; *also*, Capt. Slayton's co., Col. Shepard's (3d) regt.; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; appointed Jan. 1, 1777.

SAMUEL (DANFOURTH). Private, Capt. Ephraim Stearns' co., Col. Ezra Woods' regt.; enlisted May 31, 1778; discharged Jan. 31, 1779; service, 8 mos. 11 days, travel included; company raised for defence of North river.

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## EARLY ENGLISH WILLS.

### Ipswich Wills. Arch. Suffolk.

BOOK 5. FO. 351.

[Day and month torn away] 1477. I Thomas Dernforth of Beccles
My wife Isabella.
My children [not named]
Wife & John Hill of Ravenham to be exors.
Proved 15 Jany, 1477.

BOOK 7. FO. 45.

28 Feb. 1513. I John Dernford of Cranysford.
To be bur. in Ch. of "
Robert my son to have tenement called Smythys.
To Thomas Mylys s. of John Mylys of Badyngham a cow.
Residue of goods to Alyce my wife.
Son Rob. & Rob. Derawe to be exors. & Rob. Lawter supervisor.
Proved 22 Oct. 1514.

BOOK 7. FO. 182.

8 March, 1516. I Alys Dernforth of Framlingham, widow.
To be bur. in Ch. of Framlingham.
To church of Cranysforth 9 s.
My son Robert.
Legacies to Margery Ederyche, Crystyn Lawtyr & Marget Lawtyr.
Residue of goods to Marget my dau. late the wife of Rob. Lawtyr of Framlingham.
Witnesses: Sir John Chylderns, Rob. Drenforth.
Proved 22 April, 1517.

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Book 11. Fo. 118*b*.

16 July, 1533. I John Derneforth of Swyftlyng.
Sons: William & Edward.
Dau$^{rs}$. Alice, Agnes, Parnell Margaret.
Wife Margaret & son John to be exors.
Witnesses: Sir Roger Clayton, clerk, Rob. Grene, Rob. Alrede.
Proved 19 Sept., 1533.

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Book 12. Fo. 57.

12 Dec. 1534. I Robert Derneford of Cranysford.
Late wife Margaret. My now wife Joan.
Tenement & lands in Cranysford & Glenham late the lands of Alex$^{r}$. Derneford my grandfather.
Nephew John Lawter & every one of his sisters, dau$^{rs}$. of my sister.
To Kateryne Thurstun a Kyrtyll wh: was my wife his [her] mothers.
My father John Derneford. My bro. Nicholas Joly & James Cryspe to be exors.
Witnesses: Sir Thos. Wylson vicar of Cranysford, W$^{m}$. Syer, John Mason, Thos. Grene, John Pelly.
Proved 6 Oct. 1535.

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Book 24. Fo. 92$^{d}$.

22 July, 1571. Robert Danforth of Debenham in co. Suffolk.
Wife Rose.
2 children [not named]
His friend John Folkerk of Ashefild
Sister Alice & 2 brothers [not named]
Witnesses: John Folkerd, John Laute & Gregory Cotes.
Proved 21 July, 1572.

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Book 24. Fo. 444.

25 April, 1573. I Edward Derneforde of Hacheston in co. Suffolk, husbandman.
Son: Rodulfe.
Dau$^{rs}$. Katherine, Margaret, Isabella & Priscilla.
Exors. Robert & Thomas Jonies my brothers in law.
Witnesses: William Smith, William Hill.
Proved 10 Dec. 1573.

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Book 58. Fo. 31.

14 May, 1627. Noncupative will of William Darneford late of Framlingham.
To be bur. in ch. of Framlingham.
Bro. in law John Hill of "
To sister Amye Darnford £4 now in hands of Edward Pope of Brandeston.
Witnesses: Edward Pope, Thos. Wade.
On the 25$^{th}$ July, 1627, admon. was granted to the said John Hill.

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## FRAMLINGHAM (SUFFOLK) PARISH REGISTERS
### 1560—1650.

[Copied for this volume by Miss EMMA M. WALFORD, of London, Eng., who added the figures in brackets.]

*Baptisms.*

| | |
|---|---|
| 21 Sep. 1562 | Isabella daughter of Richard Danforth |
| 19 March 1563[-4] | Johane daughter of Nicholas & Aelies Danforth |
| 17 Sept. 1564 | Anne dau. of Richard Danforth |
| 10 March 1565[-6] | Olive dau. of Thomas Danforth & Joane his wife |
| 29 Jan^y 1569[-70] | Elizabeth dau. of Nicholas & Alice Danforth |
| 30 April 1570 | Katherine dau. of Richard & Anne " |
| 6 Nov. 1586 | Nicholas son of Thomas Derneforth & Jane his wife |
| 1 Mar. 1589[-90] | Nicholas " " " & Jane Dan*ford* |
| 16 Nov. 1592 | Robert son of Thomas Derneforth |
| 11 Nov. 1593 | " " " " Danforde |
| 22 Feb. 1600[-1] | Jane dau. of Thomas D*arn*ford & Joane his wife |
| 15 June 1619 | Robert son of Robert & Susan D*ane*ford |
| 8 Aug. " | Elizabeth dau. of Nicholas & Elizabeth Daneford |
| 13 March 1620[-1] | Nicholas son of Robert & Susan Danforth |
| 8 May 1621 | Marie dau. of Nicholas & Elizabeth Dampforde |
| 8 Sep. 1622 | Anna Danforth dau. of Nicholas & Elizabeth Danforth and hure father was churchwardin that yere. |
| 22 Dec. 1622 | Ann dau. of Richard & Sewsan Danforth |
| 20 Nov. 1623 | Thomas son of Nicholas & Elizabeth " |
| 24 May 1625 | Lydia dau. " " " " " |
| 15 Jan. 1625[-6] | Mary dau. of Robert & Susan Danford |
| 17 Oct. 1626 | Samuel son of Nicholas & Elizabeth Daneford |
| 2 Mar. 1627[-8] | Jonathan " " " " " " |
| 1 Mar. 1628[-9] | Jasper " " Robert & Susan " |
| 1 " " " | John " " " " " " |
| 28 Aug. 1631 | Susan dau. " " " " Danforth |
| 9 July 1635 | Daniel son " " " " " |
| 5 March 1642[-3] | Nicholas " " Nicholas " Elizabeth " |
| 5 October 1645 | John " " " " " " |
| 22 March 1647[-8] | Robert " " " " " " |

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*Marriages—1560–1650.*

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|---|---|
| 22 April 1570 | Thomas Berry & Jillian Danford |
| 6 Feb. 1575[-6] | William Folcard & Katherine Danford, widow. |
| 22 Oct. 1581 | William Smallage & Olive Danford |
| 10 Oct. 1585 | Raulfe Darneforde & Margaret Gawle. |
| 24 Jan^y 1585[-6] | Thomas Danford & Jane Sudbery |
| 24 June 1588 | Robert Woodcoke & Olive Danforth |
| 20 Oct. " | John Tockley & Mary " |
| 15 Feb. 1612[-13] | John Hill & Elizabeth " |

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*Burials.*

| | |
|---|---|
| 18 July, 1561 | Frances Daneford daughter of Thomas. |
| 8 Nov. 1570 | Richard " |
| 23 Sep. 1571 | Katherine dau. of Richard Danford. |
| 2 March 1572[-3] | Raynold Danford. |
| 2 Jan$^{y}$ 1578[-9] | Joane Danforth dau. of Nicholas |
| 6 Feb. 1588[-9] | Nicholas son of Thomas Dernford |
| 3 Jan$^{y}$ 1592 [3] | Robert " " " " |
| 21 Mar. 1601 [2] | Thomas Danford's wife |
| 31 May 1627 | William Darnford |
| 22 Feb. 1628[-29] | Elizabeth " |
| 3 Oct. 1630 | John Dampford |
| 7 Aug. 1635 | Daniel son of Robert Danforth |
| 16 Feb. 1639[-40] | Robert Danforde |
| 28 Jan$^{y}$ 1647[-8] | Nicholas Danforth. |

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## FRAMLINGHAM, SUFFOLK, ENGLAND.

Is a parish and market-town of great antiquity, once more populous and of larger traffic than now, but still thriving with a population little short of three thousand.

It is about ninety miles north east from London, with railway connection, and about fifteen miles from the border of the North Sea or German Ocean.

It is pleasantly situated on rising ground near to the sources of the river Ore, which finds its way by a circuitous course to the sea at Oreford. A local Gazetteer says "it is extensive and handsome, containing many well-built houses, and a large market-place, the centre of which was formerly ornamented by a cross. On the west of the town is a lake, called the Mere, which flows into the Ore and which is said to have been once navigable." Since that was written, fifty years ago, a few good houses, several shops with modern appliances, and a large collegiate school have added to the attractiveness of the village.

The old church, large and most subtantially built, with a square tower more than a hundred feet high, is, to visitors, an object of great interest. The older part, which is not now used for worship, contains several elaborate and really elegant monuments, the principal of which is that of the Earl of Surry, his countess and their children. The Earl, — statesman, military commander and poet, — fell a victim, as did so many others, to the caprice of King Henry the Eighth, and was beheaded on Tower Hill.

Presbyterians, Methodists, Unitarians and Independents have places of worship here, and there are two ancient alms-houses,

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founded and endowed by charitable men for the comfortable maintenance, respectively, of eight and twelve worthy people.

But the object of greatest interest in the town is the old castle. Of vast dimensions and prodigiously strong, the noble ruins are externally so well kept as to lead the beholder to pronounce it absolutely impregnable. The walls are eight feet thick and 44 feet high, and have thirteen square towers rising fourteen feet higher. Two of these are watch-towers. The gateway, still well preserved, is symmetrical and beautiful. It was defended by drawbridge and portcullis, giving evidence of great security.

There were extensive gardens pertaining to it, the whole surrounded by a moat, readily flooded from the adjoining lake.

The history of the castle is lost in antiquity. Who were its builders is not even confidently surmised. The land was long ago occupied by the Iceni, a British tribe, and afterward successively by Romans, Saxons, Danes. The castle was occupied by Redwald, one of the earliest of the East Anglian kings; was later the residence of King Edmund, who in the year 870, after he had been defeated in battle at Dunwich by the Danes, was besieged here and, being obliged to flee, was taken and beheaded at Bury St. Edmunds.

The castle was taken by the Norman Conqueror, and afterward changed owners frequently. Princess Mary retired to it during the attempt to place the Lady Jane Grey on the throne.

Later the several structures in the interior were demolished that the material might be converted to use elsewhere, but, as before stated, the exterior has been well preserved.

Of course in the British Isles there are countless places, the scene of historic events affecting the existence and welfare of unnumbered successors, but it would seem that comparatively few can show so grand and so well preserved relics of ancient renown as appear in and around our "Framlingham ad Castrum."

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## LANDS OF REV. SAMUEL DANFORTH.

A small account-book containing details of many business transactions of Rev. Samuel Danforth of Taunton, shows him to have been, not only the efficient and greatly respected minister of that town, as well as teacher of classics, and advisor of his people both in legal and in medical practice, but also a man of energy and thrift in secular affairs.

With a small salary and probably very small addition of fees for special services, he reared a large family reputably; and as shown

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in these simple records gradually acquired many tracts of land in the town for which payments seem to have been made with scrupulous exactness — the result being valuable investments for his children.

From this little book, lent to us in 1893 by its possessor, Mr. B. F. Danforth of Chetopa, Labette co., Kansas, and accurately copied by Mr. Almar Danforth Hodges, junior, we subjoin some extracts:

The lands of Samuel Danforth of Tanton.

1 My house lott (six accres more or less) bought of Bartholomew Tipping

2 Opposite to Tippin's lot (over the river) halfe an accre of land bought of Nathan[l]. Thare.

3 Of Dan Throop bought 18 accres adjoyning Tippin's being three 6 accre lotts, with six accres of pasture over the river opposite the ends of the former three lotts and thirty accres on the west side of Ridge hill

4 Seven accres and a half (call'd Linkon's lott) I had of Jno Hodges by exchange for the like quantity he had of me on the west side of the Mill river.

5 Lef[t] Wyatt's homelands bought for me by the Town and given me at my first settlemt.

6 My meadow near Winnacunnet pond layd out at first for six accres

6 My lands at Crooked meadow Cedar swamp in Tanton one whole right of my own (originally Lef[t] Wyats) in division of swamps
one whole right w[ch] was Dan Throops and bought in crooked meadow
$\frac{1}{8}$ of a right of W[m] and Constant Briggs
$\frac{1}{8}$ one eighth of Uriah Leonard
$\frac{1}{8}$ one eighth of Experience Linkon
$\frac{1}{4}$ one quarter of Richard Hoskins

7 Scadding meadow formerly [leaf torn off]

A Due to Sam[l] Danforth on the forty accre division

| | |
|---|---|
| on Lef[t] Wyats right | 40 accres |
| on Seth Shoves $\frac{1}{4}$ right | 10 accres |
| on Dan Throops right | 40 accres |
| Totall is | 90 accres |

Granted and layd out to S. D. on said rights
20 accres on the great playn
9 accres in the second lott in the pine swamp
$1\frac{1}{2}$ accres in a little lot of pines sixth lott
5 accres at Chards pond (this is since sold to Eld[r] Hodges by S. D.)
$3\frac{3}{4}$ accres in Cobs swamp
10 accres at Crooked meadow
1 accre I gave to Philip Mason
1 accre I gave to Wat Merry
8 accres I sold to Wm. Briggs
$8\frac{1}{2}$ accres on the head of John Hodges his pond

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14¾ accres on the playn adjoining to my own land and Jno Deans
1¾ sold to Sam. Dean on exchange for some on Ridge hill
2 accres sold to Thomas Linkon at his sawmill.

86¼ accres in all

memod I have some shares in the 18 accres in the Cedar Swamp adjoyning to the pine swamp.

I find it is 1 accre and 3 quarters but by agreement I am allowed on division but one accre & a half for it.

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## REMARKS

On the subject of the Trials for Witchcraft in Salem and vicinity in 1692: extracts from a paper read at the Fifth Meeting of the Danforth Family in Boston, 1886.

This community has long suffered reproach because of the excitement which prevailed during a few months in the year 1692, on the subject of witchcraft; and of the trials then held, and of the conviction and execution of a few hapless victims of a now exploded superstition.

Our Thomas Danforth was on the bench, at one session, at Cambridge, when some accused persons were tried, and several were adjudged guilty, neither of whom, however, was punished; and censure has rested on his memory as accessory to the persecution of innocent people. The weight of testimony, however, is altogether against such imputation, and it is certain that subsequently his influence helped to dispel the illusion.

But the charge of intolerance and cruelty has been so constantly reiterated, that even among ourselves the feeling is common that herein our worthy ancestors had done something singularly discreditable.

A brief statement of facts may set the matter in a juster light.

Dr. Palfrey, in his History of New England, says: "The people of Massachusetts in the seventeenth century, like all other Christian people at that time, at least with extremely rare individual exceptions, believed in the reality of a hideous crime called witchcraft. They thought they had Scripture for that belief, and they knew they had law for it, explicit and abundant; and with them law and Scripture were two absolute authorities for the regulation of opinion and conduct."

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That belief was an inheritance common to all men from the most ignorant to the most learned. It was diligently inculcated by the Roman Catholic Church, and also by the leaders of the Protestant Reformation.

Pope Innocent VIII., in 1484, issued a bull punishing the crime of witchcraft with death. With Luther this belief became intensified, and he declared, "I would have no compassion on these witches—I would burn them all."

Bishop Jewell, preaching before Queen Elizabeth, said: "May it please your Grace to understand that witches and sorcerers, within these few years, are marvelously increased in your Grace's realm." Later, Lord Bacon, "the greatest, wisest" of his time, pronounced the "three declinations from religion" to be "heresies, idolatry, and witchcraft."

In 1664, Sir Matthew Hale, afterward Lord Chief Justice of England, sentencing two women to be hanged, said that the reality of witchcraft was unquestionable; and in this opinion he was supported by Sir Thomas Browne, who was present at the trial.

The popular commentary on English law, published at the close of the seventeenth century, which was the current law-manual in New England, recognized witchcraft as a real crime.

We ask, then, wherein were the people of Massachusetts blamable in that they accepted and acted upon the belief which all the rest of Christendom held and practised; and in that they brought to trial those who were accused, and inflicted the punishment prescribed by law on those who were found guilty and who continued impenitent. For these two features in the case should be noted: first, that none were condemned without a formal trial; and secondly, all those who pleaded guilty and declared themselves penitent were released; and the fact that many did confess guilt, of course confirmed the current belief.

Why should these people be expected to be superior to all the rest of the world? A candid reply must be a complete acquittal.

But to continue the review. Long after the time when the reaction occurred in Massachusetts, and the superstition was exploded and denounced here, the belief in witchcraft continued in other lands. Joseph Addison and Dr. Samuel Johnson were firm believers in it, and John Wesley, in 1768, said that "giving up witchcraft is, in effect, giving up the Bible."

In 1773, the Presbytery of Scotland passed a resolution declaring their belief in witchcraft, and deploring the general stepticism in regard to it.

During Cromwell's time, sixty witches were hanged in a single year in the one county of Suffolk; and no fewer than three thousand

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were executed in England during the session of the Long Parliament. (The whole number put to death in the Salem tragedy was nineteen.)

In 1716, a Mrs. Hicks and her daughter were hanged in Huntington, England, and in 1722 a woman was burned in Dornock, Scotland, for witchcraft; and not until fourteen years later still, in 1736, was the English statute against witchcraft repealed, being more than forty years after the excitement in New England had subsided.

In Switzerland, as late as 1780, women were burned for the imputed offence.

Thus it appears that not only is special blame not to be charged to the people of Massachusetts, but to them should be accorded the merit of being IN ADVANCE OF ALL THE REST OF CHRISTENDOM IN SHAKING OFF THE DELUSION AND RENOUNCING ITS BARBARITIES.

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### 202.

THOMAS[7] (*Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]) born at Tyringham, Berkshire Co., Mass., 30 Oct. 1780; died at Sennett, N. Y., 11 Oct. 1861. Married, first, 20 Feb. 1810, Lavinia Higby (born, Mass., 4 Feb. 1788; died at Busti, N. Y., 11 April, 1830), daughter of Elijah Higby and Lucretia Barnes. He married, second, Sarah Everett (Burt, Hobart), born at Southampton, Mass., 31 July, 1785; died 29 Dec. 1863). (She married first, Deacon Samuel Burt; married, second, Deacon Jacob Hobart, Homer, N. Y., Deacon Thomas Danforth being her third husband. Jacob Hobart was brother to Samuel Hobart, who was father of Rhoda and Volina Hobart, the first and second wives of Elijah Higby, 363).

He was a man of strong character, a leader in religious work and the anti-slavery movement. Moved to Busti, Chautauqua County, N. Y., in 1818, where he resided until the last few years of his life.

Children by first marriage:

i. JOHN CURTIS,[8] b. Westmoreland, near Rome, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1812; d. Amherst College, Mass., 29 April, 1836.

362. ii. LORING, b. Westmoreland, N. Y., 5 April, 1813; d. Buffalo, N. Y., 11 Oct. 1869.

iii. NANCY ANN, b. Westmoreland, N. Y., 26 Oct. 1814; d. 18 July, 1815.

363. iv. ELIJAH HIGBY, b. Pompey (now Lafayette), N. Y., 12 March, 1817; d. Jamestown, N. Y., 1 July, 1894.

364. v. THOMAS, b. Busti, N. Y. 24 Feb. 1819; d. Lafayette, N. Y. 11 Nov1881.

365. vi. FLAVEL, b. Busti, N. Y. 22 Feb. 1821; d. Springfield, O. 25 Oct. 1901; m. 1st, 7 Sept. 1843, Harriet Parsons; 2d, 11 July, 1882, Emma A. Linsley. No children.

366. vii. WILLISTON, b. Busti, N. Y., 7 Sept. 1823; d. Busti, N. Y., 21 Jan. 1843; m. 22 Sept. 1842, Harriet Plumb. No children.

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viii. LAVINIA, b. Busti, N. Y., 22 April, 1825; d. Busti, N. Y., 13 July, 1833.

ix. LYDIA LUCRETIA, b. Busti, N. Y., 5 July, 1827; m. 22 Oct. 1862, John Cortland Hitchcock, Syracuse, N. Y. (d. 22 March, 1892). Has lived in Jamestown, N. Y., since 1894, with widow of Elijah Higby.[8]

367. x. JOEL, b. Busti, N. Y. 23 Feb. 1829; d. Warren, Pa., 26 May, 1892.

## 362.

LORING[6] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married 28 Sept. 1842, in Homer, N. Y., Louisa Woolworth Mills (born in Onondaga Valley, N. Y., 13 Sept. 1820; died in Buffalo, N. Y., 16 Feb. 1870), daughter of Rev. James H. Mills and Mary Mulford Woolworth.

Children:

i. MARY MILLS,[9] b. Buffalo, N. Y. 18 Nov. 1846; d. Buffalo, N. Y. 1 Feb. 1867.

362. ii. MARTHA LOUISA, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 27 June, 1850; d. Buffalo, N. Y., 22 Nov. 1895; m. 15 Oct. 1872, Buffalo, N. Y., John Arthur Bell (b. Lisbon, N. Y., 1 Jan. 1849), son of John Bell and Eliza Ann Fenton.

Children:

1. *Mary Danforth Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 1 Oct. 1873.
2. *James Loring Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 4 Sept. 1875.
3. *William Hervey Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 4 April, 1877.
4. *Charlotte Elizabeth Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 12 May, 1881.
5. *Clara Lucretia Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 30 May, 1884.
6. *Ruth Louise Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 30 May, 1887.
7. *John Arthur Bell*, b. Buffalo, N. Y.. 4 Aug. 1889.

331. iii. JOHN WILLISTON, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 23 May, 1853; m. 13 March, 1877, Buffalo, N. Y., Julia B. Newman, dau. of George E. Newman and Eliza Sophia Shaw.

Children:

1. *Newman Loring*,[10] b. Buffalo, N. Y., 26 Sept. 1879.
2. *Grace Lillian*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 29 Dec. 1880.
3. *Emma*, b. Buffalo, N. Y., 12 Sept. 1883.

## 363.

ELIJAH HIGBY,[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married, first, 8 April, 1843, Homer, N. Y., Rhoda Hobart (born Homer, N. Y., 9 May, 1819; died, Jamestown, N. Y., 5 June, 1858), daughter of Samuel Hobart of Munson, Mass., and Rhoda Chamberlain, of South Dudley, Mass.; married, second, 25 May, 1859, at Marengo, Iowa, Volina Hobart (born 2 Feb. 1824), sister of first wife.

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When he was a year old his parents moved to Chautauqua County, N. Y. He was educated at Jamestown Academy and Allegheny College. Dr. Danforth was a skilful dentist, and practised in Jamestown nearly forty years. He was a ruling elder in the Presbyterian church, a strong Republican, specially identified with the anti-slavery and temperance movements, later becoming a Prohibitionist.

Children by first marriage:

i. CHARLES WILLISTON,[9] b. Eagle, N. Y., 31 Jan. 1844; d. Sonora, Mexico, Nov. 1883.

363. ii. RACHEL HOBART, b. Busti, N. Y., 8 Feb. 1846; m. 12 March, 1867, at Jamestown, Samuel Parker Hedges, M.D., of Chicago (b. 23 July, 1841, Sinclairville, N. Y.), son of Elias S. Hedges and Rebecca L. Parker.

She was educated at Jamestown Academy and Mt. Holyoke Seminary, and has always been active in church and philanthropic work.

Children:

1. *Helen Hedges*, b. Chicago, 15 Jan. 1868; d. Chicago, 4 Jan. 1869.
2. *Paul Hedges*, b. Chicago, 12 July, 1869; d. Chicago, 25 Dec. 1869.
3. *Myra Hedges*, b. Chicago, 10 May, 1872; d. Chicago, 9 Aug. 1874.
4. *Corinna Hedges*, b. Chicago, 1 Nov. 1874; m. 15 May, 1893, at Chicago, Rev. William B. Allison) son of Samuel B. Allison and Mary A. Gilleland, of Bakerstown, Pa.). Three children.
5. *William Elias Hedges*, b. Chicago, 13 Feb. 1875.
6. *Robert Danforth Hedges*, b. Chicago, 26 Dec. 1878.
7. *Grace Hedges*, b. Chicago, 27 Jan. 1879; m. 23 Dec. 1901, at Chicago. Rev. Francis James Martin (son of James Martin of Finzsau, and Fanny S. of Birse, Scotland.
8. *Ruth Hedges*, b. Chicago, 1 May, 1881; d. Chicago, 23 Jan. 1882.
9. *Samuel Gilleland Hedges*, b. Chicago, 23 Sept. 1883.

iii. SARAH LUCRETIA, b. Panama, N. Y., 24 Sept. 1847; d. Warren, Pa. 29 Sept. 1853.

363. iv. LAVINIA RHODA, b. Warren, Pa., 18 Jan. 1851; d. Chicago, 11 May, 1891; m. at Jamestown, N. Y., 2 May. 1871, Leland Macaboy Gilleland, D.D., of Bakerstown, Pa., who was pastor of Presbyterian churches in White Pigeon, Mich., Tidioute, Pa., Evansville, Ind., Chicago, Ill., and d. 18 March, 1891, at Chicago, his wife surviving him but two months. Her large-hearted devotion to her family and church work made her a force in every good work.

Children:

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1. *Bertha Danforth Gilleland*, b. White Pigeon, Mich., 30 Jan. 1872; m. 30 Sept. 1890, at Chicago, Albert Parker Hedges, M.D., son of William H. Hedges and Maria C., and nephew of Dr. Samuel Parker Hedges, husband of Rachel Hobart Danforth, 363–ii. Two children.
2. *Tanetta Spafford Gilleland*, b. White Pigeon, Mich., 5 Oct. 1874.
3. *Leland Hedges Gilleland*, b. White Pigeon, Mich., 5 May, 1876; m. and has two children. Practising physician Plainwell, Mich.
4. *Vinnie Sarah Gilleland*, b. Tidioute, Pa., 12 Dec. 1877; m. 22 Aug. 1895, Robert Clay Burchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Burchell, Erie, Ill. One son.

v. THOMAS HIGBY, b. Warren, Pa., 14 Nov. 1853; d. Jamestown, 18 Aug. 1870.

vi. RHODA LUCRETIA, b. Jamestown, 20 May, 1858; d. Jamestown, 28 Aug. 1858.

Children by second marriage:

vii. MARY LEMON, b. Jamestown, 27 July, 1860. Educated at Jamestown schools and Wellesley College; resides in Buffalo. N. Y.

363. viii. GEORGE FLAVEL, b. Jamestown, 19 Nov. 1867; m. Ithaca, N. Y., 28 July, 1891, 1891, Julia Emma Trapp, of Ithaca. Educated at Jamestown High School, Cornell University, '90, Yale Divinity, Auburn Theological, '93, Librarian University of Indiana, 1898, Bloomington, Ind.

Children:

1. *Leland*,[10] b. Deer Lodge, Montana, 4 April, 1895.
2. *Chester*, b. Ithaca, N. Y., 28 Aug. 1897.

## 364.

THOMAS[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married 20 June, 1844, in Lafayette, N. Y., Lucy Baker (born 28 Oct. 1815; died 24 July, 1888), daughter of Sydenham and Sally (Hayden) Baker, of Chesterfield, Mass.

Children:

364. i. LAVINIA SABINA,[9] b. Lafayette, N. Y., 15 Aug. 1845; m. 22 Dec. 1869, at Lafayette, John H. Northway (b. Scio, Mich.). Resides at Lafayette, N. Y.

Children:

1. *Hubert Danforth Northway*, b. Lafayette, 23 Aug. 1872; m. 12 July, 1894, at Syracuse, N. Y., Luella Steenberg.
2. *Ella Lucretia Northway*, b. Lafayette, 13 Sept. 1875; m. 15 Nov. 1900, at Lafayette, Clarence A. King.
3. *Hattie Louise Northway*, b. Lafayette, 7 Jan. 1886.

ii. DANIEL ORTON, b. Lafayette, N. Y., 17 Aug. 1847; d. 4 Aug. 1865.

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364. iii. ELLEN ROSINA, b. Lafayette, N. Y.. 2 Sept. 1849; d. 2 March, 1887; m. 4 May, 1869, Elmer F. Keeler of Lafayette.

Children:

1. *Clifford Loring Keeler*, b. 11 Sept. 1870.
2. *Flora Emma Keeler*, b. 24 Nov. 1872.
3. *Charles Danforth Keeler*, b. 12 Aug. 1874.
4. *Carrie May Keeler*, b. 19 Aug. 1877.

492. iv. THEODORE THOMAS, b. Lafayette, N. Y., 30 July, 1855; d. 21 March, 1891, at Walla Walla, Wash.; m. 25 June, 1889, at Dunkirk, N. Y., Harriet C. Fullagar, dau. Langley and Mary A. Rogers Fullagar, of Dunkirk, N. Y.

Child:

*Thomas Fullagar*,[10] b. 6 Oct. 1881, at Dunkirk, N. Y.

## 367.

JOEL[8] (*Thomas*,[7] *Thomas*,[6] *Thomas*,[5] *Samuel*,[4] *Jonathan*,[3] *Jonathan*,[2] *Nicholas*[1]), married at Warren, Pa., in May, 1860, Margaret Jane (born 23 March, 1833), daughter of William and Jane (McConnell) Thomas, Schenectady, N. Y.

Dr. Danforth practised dentistry in Randolph, N. Y., Jamestown, N. Y., where he was associated with his brother, Elijah Higby, 393, and in Warren, Pa.

Children:

i. LAVINIA JANE,[9] b. 20 Sept. 1861, Warren, Pa.; d. 20 April, 1876, at Randolph, N. Y.

ii. HENRY JOEL, b. 27 July, 1865; m. 21 Sept. 1892, in Toledo, O., Alice M. Kellar; 2 children, *Ralph Kellar*[10] and *Martha*.

iii. JOHN LORING, b. 13 Dec. 1868, in Jamestown; m. 24 Oct. 1900, Cora May, dau. of Joshua and Hannah Davis, of Kane, Pa. No children.

iv. JOSEPH THOMAS, b. 12 July, 1871, in Randolph, N. Y. D.D.S, University of Penn. '92. Succeeds his father in practice at Warren, Pa.

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